

Court Decision May Speed Agreement To End Coal Strike

By HAROLD W. WARD
WASHINGTON—(AP)—A court decision cast doubt today on the legality of four of John L. Lewis' contract demands, and a top official expressed hope this might speed an agreement ending the soft coal strike.

NLRB General Counsel Robert N. Denham said the ruling by Judge Richmond B. Keach might narrow the area of disagreement between the United Mine Workers president and the nation's coal operators—thus finally clearing the way to settlement of their long dispute.

Some sources suggested, however, that by stiffening the miners' resistance it might have just the opposite effect.

It was at Denham's request that Judge Keach agreed late yesterday to issue an injunction against union contract demands which mine owners complained were illegal.

All four of the contract terms involved were contained in the coal agreements which expired last June 30—setting off the dispute which culminated this week in the walkout of 370,000 UMW members.

A three-man presidential board is due to report to the White House, possibly tomorrow, on the facts of the dispute, thus clearing the way for President Truman to seek an emergency Taft-Hartley act injunction, aimed at sending the miners back to work for at least 80 days. Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday he doesn't have, and doesn't want, power to seize the coal mines.

The pits have been shut down tight since Monday. Before that some were closed and others worked only three days a week.

Muskegon Boy Is Gun Victim

Freshman, 14, Teased, Found Shot Dead

MUSKEGON—(AP)—A high school freshman's attempt at bravado in the face of playmate taunts may have cost him his life Thursday.

Police Chief Guy Hancock of Northern Muskegon said there was no way of knowing whether 14-year-old Howard Louis Swartz killed himself or died accidentally from the discharge of a shotgun his father had given him for Christmas.

The youth's sister, Linnea, 10, was the only other person in the family home yesterday afternoon when the blast killed Howard. She heard the shot and found her brother dead, the gun across his body.

Hancock said an investigation revealed that the boy, unusually large for his age and nearly six feet tall, had been playing with two other youths near his home.

The other boys had taken his cap and then eluded his efforts to catch them.

Howard darted into the house, got his gun and confronted the two youths, Hancock said. When they taunted him that the gun was unloaded, he showed them the shell in the chamber. They fled and Howard returned to his room. The shot followed.

Hancock said it was impossible to determine whether the youth fired the shot deliberately or was killed accidentally unloading the gun.

Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with snow flurries near Lake Superior. Colder Saturday.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and little change in temperature tonight, wind southerly 20 to 25 mph. Saturday partly cloudy and colder Saturday afternoon, wind southwesterly, becoming north and northeast Saturday forenoon to 20 to 30 mph. High 28°, low 18°.

Past 24 Hours High Low
ESCANABA 31° 12°

Low Past 24 Hours
Alpena 19 Lansing 25
Battle Creek 27 Los Angeles 53
Bismarck 13 Marquette 22
Brownsville 63 Memphis 41
Buffalo 29 Miami 40
Cadillac 18 Milwaukee 27
Chicago 28 Minneapolis 29
Cincinnati 38 New Orleans 58
Cleveland 32 New York 37
Dallas 39 Omaha 29
Denver 28 Phoenix 50
Detroit 31 Pittsburgh 31
Duluth 19 St. Louis 31
Grand Rapids 25 San Francisco 46
Houghton 15 St. Marie 25
Jacksonville 60 Traverse City 27
Kansas City 33 Washington 40

Railroads Slash Service To Save Dwindling Fuel

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—The nation's coal-burning railroads rushed to comply with Interstate Commerce commission orders to slash service tonight because of dwindling coal stockpiles.

Hundreds of trains will be taken out of service at 11:59 p. m. (local time).

That will mean unemployment to an unestimated number of railroaders.

Several thousand railroad employees already have been furloughed.

Unemployment in other industries will skyrocket within the next three weeks unless John L. Lewis striking coal miners go back to the pits.

The ICC order this week directed coal-burning passenger service to be cut in half and that coal-burning freight service be slashed 25 per cent.

The only bright spot in the railroad picture is that the number of workers laid off now is lower than in past coal strikes. That's because railroads have been converting from steam locomotives to the diesel units as fast as the diesels are available.

Throughout the country some cities have resorted to rationing and there's a prospect that dimouts may be ordered. The Indiana fuel commission recommended such a procedure for that state but Governor Henry F. Shuler overruled the recommendation. He intimated a decision may be made within the next few days.

The governor, like the rest of the nation and the miners themselves, are waiting to see what happens in Washington. President Truman is expected to seek an injunction next week under the Taft-Hartley act to try to get the miners back in the pits for an 80-day period. However, there's always the chance that the operators and the miners might get together on a strike-ending settlement.

The last two provisions have been used in the past as reasons for mine walkouts.

The injunction, which the judge ordered drawn up for his signature by NLRB attorneys, will last until the NLRB finally rules on whether the controversial practices are "unfair."

UMW attorneys promptly began preparing an appeal.

Congress Approves \$88,000,000 Fund To Check Reds In Asia

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate quickly approved today the White House \$88,000,000 program.

The spending plan, aimed at helping check Communism in the Far East, was approved by the House yesterday, 240 to 134.

The program provides \$60,000,000 for the Republic of Korea and \$28,000,000 for the Chinese Nationalist defenders of Formosa. These funds would be spent over the next five months.

That bill authorizes the Economic Cooperation Administration (ECA) to spend \$60,000,000 by June 30 for capital improvements and raw material imports into Korea. The program would be started by a \$30,000,000 advance from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The Formosa aid would come out of \$103,000,000 which was left over from funds voted to China last year. It becomes available merely by extending the spending deadline from Feb. 15 to June 30.

The House turned thumbs down

two weeks ago by a single vote to Korea alone. This sure was beaten by a coalition of those who oppose foreign spending and others who did not like President Truman's Formosa policy.

But the one-package bill had no trouble.

Elevator Kills Detroit Woman

Head Severed As Car Shoots Upward

DETROIT—(AP)—An office building elevator leaped upward out of control and killed a woman yesterday.

The head of the victim, 63-year-old Mrs. Mary A. Pebley, was severed from her body.

City officials pressed an investigation today of the ghastly mishap.

Mrs. Pebley, a widow, was about to enter the car, witnesses said, when it suddenly shot upward.

The floor of the car caught her under her chin and swept her to the top of the open door.

Edges of the car floor and door-top clamped vise-like around her neck. She was killed instantly.

Her head fell to the car floor, her body down the shaft.

Hysterical women passengers screamed. Their voices shook afterwards as police questioned them.

Mrs. Pebley, on an errand, had started to board the elevator on the first floor of the transportation building on Lafayette Avenue in downtown Detroit.

Half a dozen women were already in the car. It was operated by Miss Marilyn Kanakis, 20.

"The car suddenly shot upward," Miss Kanakis said. "I had not touched any of the controls."

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British Scientist Admits Giving Secrets To Russia

Russia Alone Blocks World Bomb Controls

Truman Won't Budge From Baruch Plan

By JACK BELL
WASHINGTON—President Truman found some solid backing in congress today for his statement that a little cooperation from Russia is all that's needed to set up effective world atomic controls.

Mr. Truman made clear to his news conference yesterday that he isn't budging from the Baruch plan for control through international atomic inspection.

The Baruch plan has been before the United Nations for many months. It is named for Bernard M. Baruch, one of its principal architects. Russia has refused to accept its provision for inspection of atomic projects.

The president endorsed Secretary of State Acheson's stand that Russia keeps agreements only when forced to by existing conditions.

Mr. Truman said he sees no reason to set up a commission to re-survey the Baruch plan in the light of his go-ahead order on the H-bomb.

The president also made it plain he intends to disregard a proposal by Senator McMahon (D-Conn.) that this country spend \$50,000,000 on a five year economic aid plan.

As outlined by the senator, such aid would be open to Russia, if she agreed to effective atomic controls and shifted two-thirds of her arms expenditure into peaceful channels.

Cornered By Columnist
By indirection, the president also rejected a plea by Senator Tydings (D-Md.) for a call for a world disarmament conference.

Mr. Truman said disarmament is linked to atomic controls. If an atomic agreement could be reached, he said, disarmament probably would follow swiftly.

The situation hadn't been changed by his order to go ahead with hydrogen bomb work, he declared, adding that there isn't any use to get all steamed up about it because we're working toward a peaceful solution in the world.

"You think public discussion of this problem does no good?" asked Columnist Doris Fleenor.

Flushing, the president said: Don't start putting words in my mouth. Public discussion helps every subject if it is done in a sane way, he added.

McMahon and Tydings had no immediate comment on the president's views. Both indicated, however, they will have more to say about the question in the next few days.

Among other lawmakers, there was support of the president's contention that this country has done all it can toward getting international atomic controls.

Lansing Brownout Fails First Night
LANSING—(AP)—Except for lights on the Capitol Dome, which were dutifully dark, Lansing's brownout failed here last night.

Intention was to shade down the city lights to conserve coal.

Trouble was that the folks who handle the switches were not notified or paid no attention.

Theater, bar and store lights twinkled as brightly as ever last night.

Embarrassed city officials said they would try again tonight.

Father Gives Farm To Son, Forced To Sleep In The Barn
GRAND RAPIDS—(AP)—A 75-year-old Middleville farmer, who claims his son and daughter-in-law made him sleep in the barn after he gave them all his property, asked circuit court today to help him.

Oliver Wilkinson filed suit for annulment of a deed to his farm and an accounting of personal property, which he says he gave to his son Bradley and wife of Rockford in 1946.

The agreement, Wilkinson charges, was that they would care for him and give him \$50 monthly for life. He said the agreement has not been fulfilled.

TOO MUCH EXERCISE
CHICAGO—(AP)—A spine injury took radio emcee Don McNeill off the air today for the first time in 1,000 scheduled broadcasts.

McNeill, who was taken to Evanston hospital yesterday, blamed a dislocated spine on a rigorous program of exercising undertaken recently. He weighs 202 pounds.

Implicated By Wife, Munising Man Faces Texas Murder Charge

MUNISING, Mich.—(AP)—Sheriff Arthur Moote said today that red-haired Ewald Johnson, 32, has confessed to an FBI agent and two Michigan state troopers that he killed Texas oilman W. A. (Tex) Thornton at Amarillo, Texas, last June.



DIANA JOHNSON

MUNISING, Mich.—(AP)—Ewald Johnson, red-haired 32-year-old native of this Upper Michigan city, will soon be on his way to Amarillo, Texas, to face a murder charge.

Implicated by his young wife, Johnson waived extradition yesterday in the tourist camp slaying of W. A. (Tex) Thornton, expert on oil field explosives. Thornton was killed June 22, 1949.

Sheriff Paul Gaither of Potter county, Texas, and a member of the Amarillo police force were flying here today to take Johnson back with them.

When arrested at 1 a. m. at the home of a sister, Johnson offered no resistance but "denied everything," police reported.

Later Sheriff Arthur Moote questioned him at length but did not reveal what, if anything, he learned about the Thornton slaying.

Johnson's blonde, 18-year-old wife, Diana, was held under \$40,000 bond in Washington on federal charges of fleeing across state lines to avoid prosecution. She also is wanted on an auto theft charge in Texas.

Her return to Texas will be sought by Deputy Sheriff W. W. Riner and Texas Ranger Frank Probst. They planned to leave Amarillo for Washington today.

Mrs. Johnson told Washington police of the slaying Wednesday. Later she tried to jump out a fifth story window at the police headquarters but was restrained by a matron.

Thornton was killed in a tourist camp at Amarillo. Later, the FBI has claimed, the Johnson couple drove the oil man's car to Dodge City, Kan., and abandoned it.

Johnson returned here recently after a 10-year absence.

Prayers Stop College Study

Wheaton, Ill., Revival Runs For Two Days

WHEATON, Ill.—(AP)—A marathon prayer meeting at little Wheaton college ended today after 38 consecutive hours.

The revival, begun unexpectedly Wednesday night during one of the regular semi-annual week long evangelistic services, had swept the campus. Some 1,500 students and 110 faculty members at the non-sectarian fundamentalist Protestant school joined in the prayer service.

More than 900 were present in the Pierce Memorial chapel when Dr. V. Raymond Edman, president of the college, called the public testimonial to a close.

Dr. Edman halted the revival to avoid "sensationalism." He told the students that "outsiders might think the revival had become too showy." He permitted some 50 to continue their testimonials in a smaller room nearby. These were expected to end before noon.

A college spokesman said the students were happy with the results of their demonstration and "felt the Lord had dealt with them."

Ingrid Now Free To Marry Daddy
ROME—(AP)—Jubilant Roberto Rossellini said today he and film actress Ingrid Bergman would marry "just as quickly as her divorce papers arrive from Mexico."

The Swedish actress, who bore a son "Roberto" here eight days ago, was granted a divorce in June, Mexico. Late yesterday from Dr. Peter Lindstrom of Hollywood.

Lindstrom ignored the Mexican court proceedings and remained in Hollywood.

Rossellini said Miss Bergman was "overjoyed" at the news of the granting of her divorce in June.

"Oh," he added, smiling wryly, "if only this had happened ten months ago."

Two Thompson Pupils Hurt As Truck Rams Bus

MANISTIQUE—A school bus driven by Joseph E. Hursh was hit broadside at 8:20 a. m., today by a logging truck in the village of Thompson and two of 15 children aboard were seriously injured.

Jerry Erickson, 10, student of Thompson school, is in Shaw hospital for treatment of a fractured skull, contusions and a possible fractured neck. Lawrence Flodin, 10, also of Thompson, is in Shaw hospital for a brain concussion.

The accident occurred at the intersection of M 149 and U. S. 2. The bus, according to Michigan State Police, had just pulled onto U. S. 2 when the logging truck hit it. The truck was driven by Edward Harbensi of Shingleton.

Hungary To Try American 'Spy'

Wire Official Faces Sabotage Charges

BUDAPEST, Hungary—(AP)—The ministry of justice announced today that American businessman Robert E. Vogler would be tried Feb. 17 on charges of espionage and sabotage.

Vogler, European representative of the International Telephone and Telegraph Co., has been held incommunicado since his arrest last Nov. 18.

The ministry announced Edgar Sanders, British subject and local I. T. & T. representative, also would be tried with Vogler before a Budapest court of justice.

The government has announced that Vogler and Sanders have confessed their guilt.

The U. S. state department ordered Hungary's consulates in New York and Cleveland closed after the government here refused to let American Minister Nathaniel P. Davis interview Vogler and another American arrested here.

The latter, Jewish Welfare Director Israel Jacobson, later was released and expelled from the country.

Vogler probably will be defended by a Hungarian attorney appointed by the Hungarian government. A request has been made that he be allowed to use an American attorney also.

Deputy Premier Matyas Rakosi said this would have to be "considered" by the government and that he could give no assurance it would be permitted.

Reprimand Given Master Of Sunken British Submarine

CHATHAM, England—(AP)—A British naval court last night sentenced the commanding officer of the submarine Truculent to be reprimanded severely for his part in the Jan. 12 sinking of his vessel in which 64 men were lost.

The court convicted the submarine skipper, Lt. Charles P. Bowers, 28, of negligently endangering the Truculent but acquitted him on the more serious charge of negligently losing his ship.

Bowers, a hero of the Pacific war, had pleaded innocent.

The Truculent sank in the Thames estuary after colliding with the 643-ton Swedish Tanker Divina. Bowers and 14 other men were saved.

River pilots at a previous hearing said the Divina had the right of way.

Father Of 12 Kills Himself At Home In Marquette County

MARQUETTE, Mich.—(AP)—Harvey Starnes, 64, father of 12 children, used two guns to shoot himself in the bedroom of his home in Wells township, Marquette county, last night.

The death was called suicide by Coroner Marvin P. Farsbender, who said Starnes had been depressed over ill health.

Farsbender said Starnes first shot himself with a shotgun, tearing away his chin, then walked across the room to get a .22 caliber rifle off the wall and fired a bullet into his head.

ENROLLMENT HIGH
MARQUETTE, Mich.—(AP)—Enrollment at Northern Michigan College today numbered 984, largest second semester student body in the school's history. Of that figure, 681 are men and 416 are veterans, six of them women.

Atomic Leaks First Started Back In 1942

Refugee From Nazis On Moscow Payroll

LONDON—(AP)—German-born scientist Klaus Fuchs was ordered held for trial on charges of slipping atomic secrets to Russia today after a British prosecutor called him a "political fanatic on the payroll of a foreign power."

Prosecutor Christmas Humphreys declared at a preliminary court hearing that the mild-mannered British scientist had confessed slipping Anglo-American bomb secrets to the Soviets continuously since 1942.

Fuchs, a prewar refugee from the Nazis who became a naturalized British citizen was arraigned on two charges of violating the official secrets act. He was arrested last week after a tip by American F. B. I. officials that he had divulged secrets on the atomic bomb and the hydrogen super-bomb to the Russians in 1945 and 1947.

Humphreys asserted in his opening statement that Fuchs was "irrevocably wedded to Communist principles."

The prosecutor told the court Fuchs had signed a statement acknowledging he gave information to the Soviet embassy here.

On one occasion he received 100 pounds (\$280) for the information he gave, Humphreys quoted Fuchs as confessing.

Humphreys declared that Fuchs said in one of his statements to British police:

"When I learned about the purpose of the work (presumably atomic research) I decided to inform Russia and establish contact through another member of the Communist party."

Contacts With Russia
Humphreys declared that Fuchs began atomic research work in Britain in 1942 after being released from a British internment camp. He added: "From then on there was a continuous passing of information relating to atomic energy at frequent intervals."

"His statement said he had had continuous contact with persons completely unknown to him," Humphreys said, "and whatever information he gave was communicated to the Russian authorities."

The revelations, Humphreys said, were "of the highest value to a potential enemy."

Humphreys said three witnesses would be called to bear out his opening statement of charges. After they were heard, he said, Chief Magistrate Laurence Dunne would be asked to commit Fuchs for trial.

Fuchs was a leading British atomic researcher during the war and became head of the theoretical physics branch at Harwell.

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News Highlights

G.O.P. RALLY—Rep. Charles E. Potter, Rep. A. W. Norblad Jr. and State Senator Colin L. Smith will speak here Saturday evening, Page 3.

RAILROADING—C&NW cancels Trains 121-224; Soo Line to run Nos. 7-8 thrice weekly, Page 2.

ACCIDENT—Two children seriously hurt when logging truck hits school bus, Page 1.

ICE REVUE—Capacity crowd attends opening of skating show, Page 12.

QUARRY—Manistique city manager proposes that pool be drained, Page 9.

RESCUE—Two four-year olds save child from drowning at Manistique quarry, Page 9.

WINTER QUEENS—Gladstone will feté girls tomorrow, Page 9.

YOUTH PARLEY—Delta county conference will be held here Feb. 16, Page 2.

WELLS BRIDGE—Study of alternate route will be made by Delta road commission, Page 2.

COLLISION—Five persons hurt in automobile accident at Soo Hill, Page 12.

Youth Parley Here Feb. 16

Resource Consultants Are Appointed

Resource consultants have been chosen to take part in the Delta County Conference on Children and Youth to be held at the Escanaba junior high school music room Thursday evening, Feb. 16, Charles Folio announces.

The conference will begin at 7:30. All persons interested are invited to attend.

Following are the resource consultants for the five discussion groups:

Education—Helen Elaine Stenson, Escanaba grade school supervisor; Hagle Quarstrom, county commissioner of schools; Allan Mathison, Escanaba teacher; and George Weingartner, superintendent of the Rock schools.

Health—Dr. William Harrison, Phoebe Anderson, R. N., Delta-Menominee public health department; John Groop and Joseph Shipman, state vocational rehabilitation department.

Protective Services for Children—William J. Miller, county juvenile judge; Robert Gillespie, children's consultant, state department of social welfare; A. M. Gilbert, county welfare director; and Jack Koernke, Escanaba, director of public safety.

Religion and Family Living—Rev. Fr. M. B. Melican, Rev. James Bell, Mrs. Richard Collins, Fayette; and Mrs. W. C. Cameron, Gladstone.

Recreation—Ed Kot, Boy Scout executive; Catherine Cheadle, Gladstone, recreation director; Ken Gunderman, Escanaba, recreation commission chairman; Paul Vardigan, Escanaba, recreation department; Neil Fleming, Nahma, chairman, Delta county Girl Scout committee; and Mrs. Clarence Zerbelt, Escanaba, chairman, Camp Fire Girls committee.

MUCC Training Meeting Closes Here This Noon

A two-day training session conducted here for all managers of Upper Michigan MUCC offices, by state office personnel, was concluded at noon today with a luncheon in the House of Ludwig.

Harry Markel, executive director of the unemployment compensation commission, and Dr. Robert M. Ashley, MUCC commissioner, were guest speakers at the luncheon.

The conference was devoted to discussion of new management procedure soon to be instituted in all MUCC offices. Eighteen Upper Michigan office managers and field supervisors and six state office directors participated.

Braun Sentence Is Scheduled Saturday

Circuit Judge Glenn W. Jackson tomorrow will pass sentence in the case of Peter Braun of Flat Rock, who pleaded guilty last month to a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

It is charged that Braun, 69, assaulted Theodore Tourangeau, 75, also of Flat Rock, with a rifle on Sept. 10, 1949, wounding him slightly in the left shoulder. The assault followed an argument between the two men.

Several other cases may also come before the court at its Escanaba tomorrow.

W D B C PROGRAM

680 on your dial

All program times are E. S. T. Every effort is made to make this listing correct. We regret that last minute changes in programs may cause inaccuracies.

FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 10

6:00—Evening News
6:15—Number Please
6:30—Spotlight on Sports
6:45—Music by Candlelight
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15—According to the Record
7:25—Classified Column
7:30—Gabriel Heatter
7:45—Swing and Sway Time
8:00—Count Guard USA
8:20—Basketball—Menominee vs. Escanaba
10:00—Frank Edwards
10:15—Mutual Newserel
10:30—Eddy Duchin's Orchestra
11:00—Lighthouse Keeper
11:30—Sign Off

SATURDAY, FEB. 11

7:00—Sign On and Weather
7:05—Saturday Jamboree
7:30—News
7:40—In the Sports World
7:45—Saturday Jamboree
8:00—News
8:05—Saturday Jamboree
9:00—News
9:05—March Time
9:15—Sportsman's Guide
9:30—The Babe Ruth Story
9:45—Organ Melodies
10:00—Billboard
10:05—Proudly We Hail
10:20—Leslie Nichols
10:30—Helen Hall, Femme Fair
11:00—Count Guard on Parade
11:30—A-H Club of the Air
11:45—Errand of Mercy
12:00—Polka Time
12:15—News
12:30—Man on the Farm
1:30—Symphonies for Youth
2:30—Mr. A. Lester Radio Singers
3:00—Eddy Duchin's Orchestra
3:30—Caribbean Crossroads
4:00—Dunn on Disc
4:30—Sports Parade
5:00—True or False
5:30—Spin Tunes
6:00—News
6:15—Voice of the Army
6:30—Spotlight on Sports
6:45—Easy Rocking Chair
7:00—Saturday Evening Serenade
7:30—Comedy of Errors
7:45—John E. Kennedy
8:00—Twenty Questions
8:30—Republican Rally
9:30—Coronation of Queen of the North
11:00—Eddy Duchin's Orchestra
11:30—Sign Off

C&NW And Soo Line To Curtail Service

The Chicago and North Western railway and the Soo Line railway have announced curtailment of their freight and passenger trains in compliance with the coal conservation order issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission, effective 11:59 tonight.

C&NW passenger train No. 224, known as the "fish train", which

leaves Escanaba at 3:30 p. m. CST for Milwaukee daily except Sunday, will make its last trip tomorrow. The companion train, No. 121, which arrives at Escanaba at 8:05 a. m. from Milwaukee, also will make its final run Saturday.

Trains Nos. 9-10-14-15, known as the Escanaba-Iron River passenger run, were previously discontinued on an earlier coal conservation order.

The Soo Line railway offices at Gladstone announced that passenger trains Nos. 7-8, operating between Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie, will run three weekly, instead of daily, effective Feb. 11. Train No. 7 will leave Sault Ste. Marie on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and Train No. 8 will depart from Minneapolis on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

All railroads have been ordered by the I. C. C. to reduce mileage of coal burning freight trains by 25 per cent and on passenger trains, 50 per cent.

Wells Roadway Route Studied

Action Delayed By Lack Of Funds

Although lack of Delta county road funds prevents action until additional road revenues are received from the state next spring, the county road commission has authorized a study to determine the best alternate routes to serve the Wells community.

The problem was created by the closing of the old Wells bridge on county road 517 condemned as unsafe for traffic.

William J. Karas, road commission superintendent-engineer, today said that arrangements are being made with the E&LS Railroad to construct a walkway for pedestrians on the E&LS Railroad bridge downriver from the old Wells highway bridge. This will be a raised walkway four feet wide.

The engineer has also contacted the Chicago & North Western Railroad in connection with a crossing of its tracks in the vicinity of Pioneer Trail Park. It is proposed to extend a connecting county road from 517 north of Wells to US-2-41. This would reduce travel distance for residents of that area by one and one-half miles.

Work on the two proposed projects is now out of the question because of the road commission's financial plight, Karas said.

In January the road commission borrowed \$4,065 from Delta county to meet its operating expenses; and it will be necessary to borrow an additional \$19,000 in February, Karas explained.

Aid from the township under an agreement made last fall has been slow in coming to the commission. So far only seven of the 14 townships have paid the agreed 20 per cent of \$2.80 per capita. Townships also have been short of funds and the remainder is expected forthcoming after sales tax redistribution money is received by them.

Famed Frankenmuth Fischer Hotel Sold To Rival Neighbor

FRANKENMUTH, Mich.—The Fischer hotel, Michigan's original mecca of the chicken dinner bountiful, has been sold to its rival across the street.

Fred W. Zehnder, president of Zehnder's Inc., said today that his firm has completed a deal to buy the hotel from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fischer.

The sale will become official when the State Liquor commission issues a license to the new owners, he said.

For years the Fischer and Zehnder hotels have operated across the street from each other in this home town of the famed Frankenmuth-style chicken dinner.

The town became known as a chicken dinner mecca in the early 1920's when Herman Fischer, father of Elmer, devised his come-back-for-seconds menu.

In recent years the Fischer hotel, seating 500 guests, and Zehnder's, seating 700, have served more than a half-million chicken dinners a year.

Zehnder said the newly-acquired hotel would keep its present name, but would be managed by his brother, William Zehnder, Jr.

The selling price was reported between \$150,000 and \$250,000.

Baltimore College Robbed Of \$16,000 In Daylight Holdup

BALTIMORE—(P)—Four gunmen staged a swift and apparently well-planned robbery at Morgan State College here, getting away with \$16,000 in cash.

Pistols in hand, they entered the college library on the run Monday afternoon, held 16 persons at bay and then made off with the day's receipts in registration fees.

It took them just three minutes. The bandits, all young negroes, reportedly fled by automobile.

Six students at the college for negroes were arrested some six hours after the robbery but were released after questioning.

DO YOU BUY WITHOUT S. A. T. P.

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Briefly Told

Banks Close Monday—Because of Lincoln's birthday, a legal holiday, all banks in Escanaba and Gladstone will be closed Monday. The birthday falls on Sunday this year but it is legally observed on Monday.

Leaves Hospital—Walter Jackson, 322 South 16th street, who has been a patient in St. Luke's hospital, Chicago, has been dismissed from the hospital and now is convalescing at the Carlson home, 4937 West Jackson avenue. He plans to return to his home here in two weeks.

Plan School For Drivers

Bark River-Harris Session Feb. 20-21

Eight Bark River-Harris school bus drivers will attend a special drivers school to be held on Feb. 20-21, Leo Brunelle, superintendent, has announced.

The bus drivers school is conducted under auspices of Dr. Max Allen of Northern Michigan College of Education at Marquette, in conjunction with the Michigan Department of Public Instruction.

Lee Duer of Marquette will be in charge of the two-day school in Bark River. William Lavigne, Joseph Gaudrait, Mert Flynn, John Pendergraft, Charliwa Gork, William Slaga, Wilbert Nault and William Vincent will attend.

Later, another session will be held for follow-up work.

Prison Warden Tells Of Rehabilitation In Iron Mountain Talk

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich.—"When a man is sent to us, to serve a term in prison, we try from the beginning to rehabilitate him to the extent that, when he is finally released, he can take his place in society," Emery Jacques, warden of the branch state prison at Marquette, yesterday told members of the Upper Peninsula Law Enforcement Officers Association at its mid winter meeting at the Dickinson hotel.

Jacques, principal speaker at the session, discussed the history of punishment and the manner in which the prison is operated. He reviewed the prison camp system, whereby trustee workers are chosen for work on public projects outside the walls.

About 75 members—city, county and state police, sheriffs, chiefs of police, prosecuting attorneys and others—attended the meeting. Bernard Stephansky of Marquette president of the association, presided.

Obituary

MRS. HENRY OLSEN

Funeral services for Mrs. Henry Olsen of 317 North 14th street who died yesterday in Chicago will be held at 9 Monday morning at St. Joseph's church with burial in Lakeview cemetery. Friends of the family may call at the Alla funeral home beginning at 8 Saturday evening.

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Thinks Movies Funny Racket

Hollywood Intrigues Columnist Ruark

By ROBERT C. RUARK

NEW YORK—I got to gabbing with Mr. Broderick Crawford the other day, Mr. Crawford being in town to receive the screen critic's award for the best acting job of the year, and I gaped anew at the way the picture people run their business.

Mr. Crawford played the fascimile of the late Huey P. Long in Robert Penn Warren's Pulitzer prize, "All The King's Men." Brod is a big, lumbering, pleasant guy with a meaty face and warped nose, and is quite a reasonable replica, under make-up, of the late Kingfish. Although he is a natural for the part, I believe he was last choice for it. William Bendix ranked ahead of him.

This completes a kind of funny cycle between two men—Crawford, and Paul Douglas, who have conspired unwittingly to make each other famous. With poor Mr. Bendix somewhere in the middle.

Former Radio Announcer
We start with a play called "Born Yesterday," which shot Mr. Douglas into fame so fast it scorched his pants. A former radio announcer and somewhat of a character, 40ish and flat bust, Paul got the role of Harry Brock in "Born" because Brod Crawford turned it down. Brod had another commitment, which went exactly nowhere.

"Born" ran endlessly, and established Douglas as a top-ranking heavyweight in the acting business. He has since invested a succession of hit movies with his own

brand of surly sweetness and light, and is possibly the most prized hunk of flesh on the 20th-Century Fox lot.

The play which made him famous enough to crack the movies is shortly to be made into a movie. Who plays the part of Harry Brock, the consummate heel? Not Douglas, who immortalized the role. Broderick Crawford, who turned it down.

After Douglas teed off in "Born," he came under heavy consideration for the part of Babe Ruth in the "Babe Ruth Story." So did Crawford. Both were rejected, although either could be a ringer for Ruth, with a dab of putty on the nose and a little grease-paint smeared here and there. Either could match him, moodwise for hangovers. Who gets the job? Neither.

The Babe wouldn't go for either Paul or Brod, and his was an independent picture which needed bankrolling. Banks said Paul and Brod didn't have enough box-office appeal to warrant the loan. Bendix got the Ruth part. Bendix, who looks only like Bendix, and is the prototypical Brooklyn cab-driver. It was a slightly frightful film, by the way, and they might just as easily have chosen H. V. Kaltenborn or Gertrude Neisen for the title effort. Both, were for some obscure reason, featured in the flick.

Can't Figure It Out
I cannot figure out movie thinking. Janie Wyman, noted always for the shape of her legs, wins an oscar for playing a drab deaf mute who acts with her eyebrows. Olivia DeHavilland grabs off a chunk of fame by dragging down her hair and playing a nut, with Celeste Holm, a comedienne, playing another nut.

Clifton Webb, an ancient hoof, knocks off a chip of renown by appearing first as a suave, shotgun murderer, a baby-sitter, and then a college freshman. Crawford and Douglas get rich playing each other's parts, and the movies wait 15 years before they decide

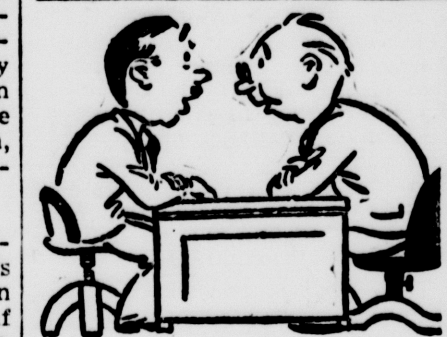
to film an approximation of Huey's rich life.

Cary Grant, the male monolith, has recently distinguished himself by playing a war bride, and I scarcely know what to expect next. Do you possibly suppose I am in the wrong racket, and should be in Hollywood even now, making faces and getting up early in the morning?

Evidently the complete switch is in, and so I have just nominated myself for a career as a movie star. I shall break in as little Eva in the next rendition of Uncle Tom's Cabin, and then play the part of Lassie for contrast. Then they can get Lassie to play little Eva. In the musical stage version, of course.

Meantime, I'm kind of sorry Jack Barrymore isn't around. He would have gone great on television.

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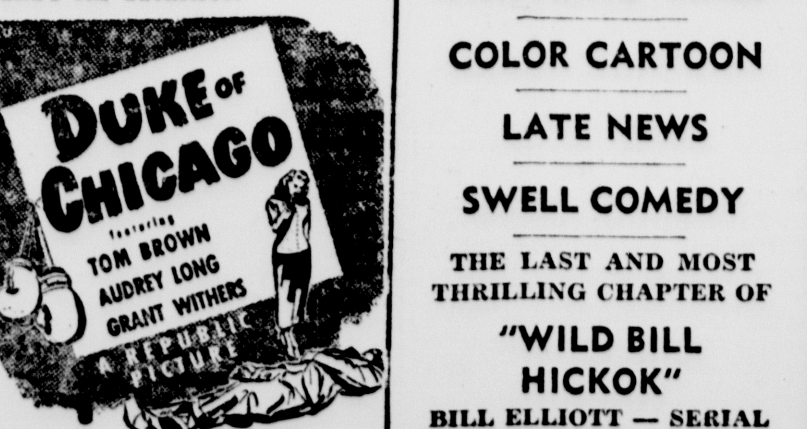
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A. W. Norblad

REPUBLICAN SPEAKERS—Congressmen Charles E. Potter of Michigan and A. W. Norblad of Oregon will be principal speakers at the Lincoln Day banquet sponsored by Delta county Republicans Saturday night at the Sherman Hotel. State Senator Colin L. Smith of Big Rapids will also be a speaker at the dinner. The program will be broadcast by Station WDBC beginning at 8:30 p. m.

Republicans Planning Lincoln Day Banquet Here Saturday Night

A capacity crowd of nearly 200 persons will attend the Lincoln Day dinner, sponsored by Delta County Republicans, Saturday evening at the Sherman Hotel. The dinner is scheduled for 6:30 p. m.

Principal speakers at the Republican dinner will be Rep. Charles E. Potter of the 11th district of Michigan, Rep. A. W. Norblad, Jr., of the first district of Oregon, and State Senator Colin L. Smith of Big Rapids.

Rep. Norblad was born in Escanaba Sept. 12, 1908, the son of A. W. Norblad and Edna Lyle Kates Norblad. The congressman's father at that time was a law partner of the late Judd Yelland. The

senior Norblad moved to Oregon with his family in 1909 and later became a state senator and governor of Oregon.

Rep. Norblad was the first World War II veteran elected to congress after the end of the war. He is a member of the committee on armed services, member of the committee on committees and is the western Republican whip in the house of Representatives.

He has been keenly interested in veterans legislation and played a prominent role in the passage of terminal leave benefits for enlisted men.

Senator Colin Smith of Big Rapids is senator from the 25th district of Michigan, comprising the counties of Gratiot, Ionia, Mecosta and Montcalm. He attended high school at Big Rapids, the Mecosta county normal and the Detroit College of Law. He was elected to the state house of representatives in 1940 and 1942. He was elected to the state senate in 1944, 1946 and 1948.

Other prominent Republican leaders who will attend the dinner are State Senator Leo H. Roy of Hancock and J. Joseph Herbert, of Manistique, regent of the University of Michigan. Delegations are expected from Iron Mountain, Menominee, Marquette, Munising and Gladstone.

Rep. Charles E. Potter is, of course, well known to Republicans in this area, serving his second term as a member of congress from this district. He was elected to congress in 1947 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rep. Fred Bradley of Rogers City. He was reelected to the 81st congress. He is a disabled veteran of World War II.

Attorney John G. Erickson of Escanaba will be toastmaster. Congressmen Norblad and Potter and Senators Smith and Roy will attend the Republican weekly coffee hour program Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Sherman Hotel.

Pat Fitzharris Receives Degree

Patrick Fitzharris of Milwaukee, former resident of Escanaba and a brother of Attorney James R. Fitzharris of this city, recently received his degree in Business Administration from Marquette university, Milwaukee. Mr. Fitzharris entered Marquette following his graduation from Gwinn high school.

30 Years In Guard And Never Wore A Uniform: Henrietta

LANSING—(AP)—Thirty years of service with the Michigan National Guard and never wore a uniform.

That's the record of Miss Henrietta A. Korn—known as "colonel Korn"—who celebrated three decades of civilian service in the guard yesterday.

Miss Korn came from Ludington in 1920 as secretary to the quartermaster general.

From 1921 through 1939 Miss Korn went to Camp Grayling every summer with the guard. She now is director of civilian personnel.

Hospital

Mrs. Joseph Gregoire of 612 South Nineteenth street underwent an emergency operation for relief of appendicitis Thursday night.

Ordinary meteors might be termed "hoboes of the sky," for they move around in random directions, unlike the great celestial bodies which have fixed courses.

Two Adult Classes Will Be Taught At Bark River

Two adult education classes, welding and knitting, will be taught at the Bark River-Harris school this year, Leo Brunelle, superintendent, has announced.

Thirty-four men have enrolled for arc welding training. Half the group will meet Wednesday and the others on Thursday. William Foder and Taisto Orhanen will instruct the classes.

Mrs. Taisto Orhanen, who holds an art degree from NMCE, will teach knitting. Ten women have enrolled for this course.

All other classes originally planned have been discontinued because of insufficient enrollment. A minimum of 10 students is required to maintain a class.

Fathers' Night At Rock PTA

ROCK—Fathers' Night was observed at the regular monthly meeting of the Rock Parent-Teacher association held Wednesday evening at the school with 38 members present. Reino Kiiskinen presided at the request of Mrs. Bertha Seppala, president.

At the business session plans were made to hold a bazaar and variety show on March 25 to raise funds to purchase a stage curtain, valance and cyclorama curtain for the new gymnasium. Each member is to take a new member to the next meeting or pay a small fine.

The attendance award went to Mrs. Hoffman's second and third grade. Lunch was served by the fathers. The next meeting will be held March 8.

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Someone did!

His name was Jesus. And His gift to humanity was something which, in its original crude form, was no more beautiful than a smokestack. It was a Cross!

He died on that Cross. But by His Sacrifice He made it the instrument of man's freedom from the cloud that man himself had made.

Our Churches worship Him, and teach the meaning of His Cross . . . lifting the smoke of sin from our lives.

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Contract Controversy Clouds Real Issue

THE controversy that has developed in the community regarding the engineering contract for the proposed water filtration plant has become exaggerated far beyond its true importance. The development is unfortunate because it tends to detract from the important issue of the community's water problem and its solution.

The city council has awarded the engineering contract to Consoer, Townsend and Associates of Chicago, a reputable engineering firm with an excellent record of performance in designing filter plants of the size contemplated here or larger.

Those who have been critical of the council's action in awarding the engineering contract to Consoer and Townsend base their objections upon the fact that the contract was not awarded to the Francis Engineering company, a Saginaw firm which employs an Escanaba representative. The Francis Engineering company's bid was substantially lower than that submitted by Consoer and Townsend. The Francis bid was not accepted by city officials simply because it was felt that the Saginaw company had inadequate postwar experience in construction of water filtration plants of the size required here. The Consoer company, on the other hand, had constructed a number of such plants and investigations conducted by local city officials indicated general satisfaction by the communities that had engaged the Chicago engineering firm.

The city council and city officials were desirous of securing the most experienced water plant designers that they could get for the proposed new water plant in Escanaba. The engineering phase of the water plant project is, of course, of extreme importance but the engineering contract itself, in terms of expenditure, is only a comparatively small part of the total cost of the project, estimated at approximately \$700,000.

A similar situation exists in the proposed construction of a new senior high school here but, fortunately, without the controversial results that have bedeviled the water plant problem. The school board selected the architectural firm of Perkins and Will, of Chicago, noted school designers, to plan the new school building here. The board picked Perkins and Will because it was felt they were the most experienced and best qualified architects bidding on the project. It is probable that the board could have secured an architectural firm at less cost but the board was interested in securing the best, not necessarily the cheapest.

The controversy on the water plant engineering contract is unfortunate and it is unnecessary. The real problem is the securing of a reliable and safe water supply to meet the community's needs for years to come. We do not have such a water supply at the present time. If the old worn out and dilapidated filter plant should shudder and die, which it could easily do without forewarning, the city would be forced to rely entirely upon the underground wells and they cannot meet the needs, either in terms of quantity or of quality.

Coal Strike Speeds Fuel Conversion

THE Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered reductions in freight and passenger train service because of the coal shortage. Passenger trains powered by coal locomotives have been ordered reduced 50% and coal-fed freight trains are being reduced 25%.

In view of the drastic shortage of coal, a development of the coal miners' strike, the action of the ICC is essential. Most railroads have a coal supply on hand that will last only for a period of about two weeks.

It is interesting to note that the coal miners are not really solving any of their problems as a result of their strike. On the contrary, they are increasing their problem because they are succeeding only in speeding a conversion to other types of fuel. Ultimately this can only mean a weakened market and more unemployment in the coal mines. This is true regardless of the results of the present strike. Coal prices are already too high and if a new contract results in even higher coal prices, it can only accelerate the trend to oil and gas for heating purposes. Even if coal prices do not increase, the regularity with which the nation has been bludgeoned by coal shortages will cause a speedup in conversion to other fuels. The miners are the losers in either case.

President Can Pick Own Military Leaders

THE debate that finally led to Adm. Forrest P. Sherman's confirmation as Chief of Naval Operations exploded an issue that ought to be settled once and for all.

Senator McCarthy, Wisconsin, blocked the confirmation for two weeks on the ground no legal vacancy existed. He said President Truman already had re-commis-

sioned Adm. Louis E. Denfeld for the post at the time he decided to switch to Sherman.

On the senate floor McCarthy waved a photostatic copy of Denfeld's commission in proof of his point. Secretary of the Navy Matthews admitted the commission had been signed by the president but said it was delivered through "irregular" channels.

Actually, how Denfeld received it doesn't matter, any more than does the fact that he got it.

McCarthy is saying in effect that a commitment to Denfeld made it illegal and improper—if not impossible—to give the job to another officer. But does that make sense?

The chief of naval operations is the country's top naval man. As such he belongs to a team along with the heads of the other armed services. Obviously that team must be able to find agreement on the fundamentals of the nation's military policy.

Furthermore, they must be able to coordinate their thinking with the president's, for he is in a very real way their commander-in-chief. The Constitution empowers him to make the key decisions in the military field. He can accept or reject the advice of his military and naval leaders.

Where is the logic in insisting the president keep on his top defense staff a man who differs with him—and the other members of the team—on vital questions of organization?

It's not a matter of tossing out any man who has the courage to disagree, who refuses to "yes" the president. The point is to have basic agreement on issues that require it before further sound planning steps can be taken.

No general or admiral would brook major dissent from an officer of lower rank. Certainly the commander-in-chief is entitled to surround himself with men who support him. Willingness to give that support is one of the qualifications an officer must have.

Free speech of the sort the ordinary citizen enjoys is a luxury a top-rank officer cannot have. He doesn't have to take a high post; but once he does he isn't free to disagree fundamentally with his superiors or his colleagues. It's silly to say he should have that freedom. It doesn't go with the job.

Other Editorial Comments

SECOND MONTH

A man who has watched winters come and go for half a century is understandably cautious about predicting the arrival of Spring. True, the colorful seed catalogs are piled on the table and gardeners who ought to know better have made firm resolutions that this year their gardens will equal those unbelievably perfect scenes in which every plant is superb and never a weed is allowed to lift its unwanted head.

February is an in-and-out month. It likes to send warm relaxing spells that cause trickles of water to run down sidehills and that spread hovering mists over the lowlands. Just about the time one is certain we will have a very early spring, a cold wave rolls down from the northland and we are likely to have the lowest temperature of the winter. That is when farmers who still use ice cut the green-gray cakes from village ponds, and store their summer's supply in weathered old icehouses. Farm lads who have in mind the six quart freezers of ice cream, gladly cooperate in hauling and storing the ice.

According to tradition, on February second the woodchuck pops from his hole and surveys the landscape. Any countryman can tell you the woodchuck is much too intelligent to risk pneumonia just to satisfy a folklore axiom. However, there is something about the second month that tingles a man's nerve endings. Day by day the sun climbs higher. Toward the end of year's shortest month, bare strips are likely to show along the south side of woodlots. Red geraniums bloom in kitchen windows and women folks think of starting tomatoes, zinnias and asters in boxes of rich soil brought to the cellar last November. All our winters have a mixture of weather. After one has lived through December and January he is understandably impatient for the first harbingers of spring. February is as you find her; some days she has morning in her eyes; then suddenly she turns uppity and chill. We are facing the light snow and it won't be long. When a man stands in the barn doorway on a relaxing mellow day toward month's end, he knows Winter is on its last legs.—By Haydn Pearson.

Christmas things are on display now and the clerks are getting in their little wraps—without hurting anybody.

Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

LET'S LEARN A NEW WORD

In the December, 1949, issue of "Word Study," a publication of G. and C. Merriam company (Webster's dictionaries), Dr. Thomas Elliott Berry, a college professor, coins a most interesting and useful word to designate the literary device of naming fictional characters after their occupations, appearances, or personal traits, such as Mrs. Malaprop, a character in Sheridan's "Rivals." She is noted for her blunders in the use of words. The name Malaprop was coined from the French phrase mal a propos, "inappropriate."

Dr. Berry's new word is charactonym, formed from the Greek character, "impression, mark, characteristic," plus onyma, "name." Charactonym is pronounced: KAR-ik-tuh-NIM, the first syllable as in carrot, carry.

Dr. Berry observes that charactonyms are as old as literature itself. He cites many such interesting examples as Aaron Thousandacres, Admiral Bluewater, and the seaman Harry Ark, from the works of James Fenimore Cooper, Ben Jonson's Cutbeard, a barber, Lady Haughty, and her servant Mistress Trusty.

Greek fables are rich in charactonyms, and they are to be found in the folklore

Box Suppers Arouse GOP

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

WASHINGTON — The Republicans are understandably pleased over the success of their box-supper rally. Even these pessimists in the party who expect little good from the top management noted the enthusiasm and especially the presence of so many young people at the crowded meeting.

One Republican cynically noted, "If you give away the tickets and offer a chicken supper and Fred Waring, naturally you're going to have a lot of people and they're going to have a good time." Large blocks of tickets were distributed among secretarial staffs on Capitol Hill. But stage-managing has a part in politics as well as show business and the end result was a rousing performance.

How far the rally may have advanced the party toward victory this fall it would be hard to say. The statement of policy was no more and no less than what had been expected—a collection of noble generalizations with a few barbs thrown in for good measure.

The fact is that there is only one national office to which the individual is elected by the people at large on a national platform and that is the presidency. Each member of senate and house must run on his own voting record and as a representative of his state or district on his own platform. That makes the policy statement somewhat superfluous as a prelude to a congressional election.

FARM PLANK DIVISION

The divisions within the party were nowhere better illustrated than in the timid agricultural plank. The vagueness is more striking when put alongside headlines describing the struggle to dispose of surplus farm products held off the market in order to sustain prices. The plank calls for:

"A program to provide a fair price for the farmers' products in the market place aided by a system of price supports and by protection against the dumping of competitive commodities produced by underpaid foreign labor, to the end that the farmer's standard of living will be in line with the contribution he makes to the national economy."

So far as the average farmer goes, this is equivalent to a ringing declaration against sin and the common cold. It represents a compromise calculated to cause the least offense to the two poles of farm opinion. On the one hand are powerful mid-western Republicans closely allied with major farm organizations who want high, fixed price supports. On the other side of the argument is Senator George Aiken of Vermont and those who think like him. Aiken favors a more comprehensive system with flexible supports. He is convinced that high, fixed supports have worked to diminish the farmers market.

Aiken was determined to get included in the farm plank a declaration for farmer co-operatives. He argued insistently that buying co-ops and insurance co-ops were helping the farmer to hold down his costs in the face of a steady rise in the prices of the things the farmer must buy. And this rise, as Aiken pointed out, coincides with a decline in the price of many of the products he offers for sale.

CO-OP MARKETING ENDORSED
The idea of endorsing co-operatives in the face of a drive from certain business interests, focused in the National Tax Equality association, to put new taxes on co-ops frightened the policy committee. What finally came out in the plank was an endorsement of "sound co-operative marketing." The marketing co-ops are not under the same kind of attack from business.

Aiken also fought for endorsement of the rural electrification program. Here, too, there was opposition. After two close votes, the committee came out for "completion of the rural electrification program."

When the senate Republican met to consider the statement, there were a number of absentees. On a voice vote seven or eight senators voted no. Some took satisfaction from what had been eliminated in early exchanges between standpatters and those who believe the GOP must look forward with a positive program. Support for Illinois' National Committeeman Werner Schroeder's denunciation of the bipartisan foreign policy was almost nil.

Once again Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts showed his capacities for leadership. Appointed to the senate subcommittee to draft the statement, Lodge never pulled his punches. Flanked by Senator Owen Brewster of Maine and Senator Kenneth Wherry of Nebraska, he stood up for the views of the senate faction that has become increasingly determined and articulate.

Both major parties have the unity of a circus tent in that they cover a variety of performance and opinion. One thing this latest GOP effort showed is that the center ring, where the old guard has held forth so long, now has determined competition.

and legends of almost every race. Indeed, untold millions of persons today bear names that began as charactonyms: Little, Strong, Bernard ("bold as a bear"), Leonard ("strong or brave as a lion"), Philip ("lover of horses"), Wise, Goodman, Handy, Long, Short, Longfellow.

In a manner of speaking, then, charactonyms are nicknames: How many of us as children answered to such descriptive charactonyms as Skinny, Red, Fatty, Tubby, Freckles, Jughead!

Teachers of literature will, I feel sure, be very happy to discover Dr. Berry's new word charactonym. And I am more than glad to pass the good word on to the readers of my column. Here's a paste-in item for your dictionaries:

Charactonym: KAR-ik-to-NYM. A name given a person or fictional character in keeping with his occupation or most pronounced characteristics. Charactonym, from the Greek character, "impression; characteristic," plus onyma, "name," was coined by Dr. Thomas Elliott Berry, State Teachers college, West Chester, Penna.

Designed for Peace



Good Evening By Clint Dunathan

THE BOY SCOUTS—There are national weeks for this, that and the other thing in these United States, but one of the most worthwhile is this week devoted to the Boy Scouts of America.

Boy Scout Week also marks the 40th anniversary of the organization. This will perhaps explain why I never happened to be a Boy Scout in my boyhood, which dates back to a time when Boy Scout troops were few and far between.

The need for the Boy Scouts of America is no greater today than it was then, but boys these days can belong to the Scouts without incurring the risk of a black eye from other boys who rank Scouting along with dancing classes and a flower in the buttonhole.

Scouts of 30 to 40 years ago received some of their best training in defending themselves and their organization. They must have been fairly successful, because since 1910 more than 26,500,000 American boys and men have been identified with the Scouts.

NOT SORTIES—Boy Scouts are not "sissies" or sortees. The Scout program would have folded a long time ago without the hiking, woodcraft, swimming, overnight camping trips and other hardy activities that appeal to the healthy boy.

Winter time activities for Scouts in this neck of the woods include skiing, skating, hiking; and last winter's popular event was an "operation zero" affair that included the construction of sleds, the following of a compass route, and the capture of flags in patrol competition.

Boys like the Boy Scouts because its program is a fine combination of team work, studies, outdoor and indoor activity, competition, and fun.

HOW IT GREW—The Boy Scouts of America enjoyed a phenomenal growth in the first decade after its founding. One reason for this was the wide publicity given the organization by community leaders, and the popularity of the Scouts as a subject for boys' fiction.

Fiction writers took the Scouts on numerous adventures, with each adventure ending in triumph for the Scouts. This success was accomplished by the application of woodcraft, signaling, and other knowledge acquired in Scouting.

The Scouts adventured all over the United States and then traveled around the world. During the First World War they drove Red Cross ambulances in France, sailed the seven seas with our Navy, and went down in submarines to fight Hun U-boats.

The one Boy Scout story we most distinctly recall was a masterpiece titled "The Boy Scouts at the Pictured Rocks, or the Mystery of the Little Brass God." The locale was the Upper Peninsula's Pictured Rocks in Alger county—but the author made the country a wilderness and had the Scouts reaching Pictured Rocks by canoe from AuTrain. He never mentioned the city of Munising the large community near the Rocks.

What the book lacked in accuracy it made up for in hairraising exploits with smugglers in caves and Boy Scouts in trouble. Justice and the Scouts conquered crime,

INTO THE PAST

Ten Years Ago

WOOSTER, Ohio—Gerald Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of 317 South 13th street, Escanaba, is a member of the men's glee club of the College of Wooster, which is now planning several concerts.

Escanaba—Leland Thompson was elected president of the senior division, and Anna Marie Belanger president of the junior division of the newly organized C. Y. O. at St. Ann church.

Manistique—Phyllis E. Garvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garvin, was one of the winners in a national photography contest conducted recently.

Twenty Years Ago

Escanaba—Miss Agnes Chandonnet has left for Chicago to attend a hair stylists convention.

Escanaba—Mrs. Honora Magher has been elected county president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Manistique—Miss Helen Hargreaves has returned from a month's visit in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Gladstone—James T. Jones has left for St. Petersburg, Fla., to visit for the rest of the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Webster L. Marble who are vacationing there.

Fear is so prevalent in the U. S. S. R. that the Russians bring it with them to this country. They travel to Lake Success with policemen in front, on both sides and behind their armor-plated cars.—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, U. S. delegate to UN Human Rights Commission.

I don't think that the Soviet Union will come around to an agreement on atomic energy until they reassess their relations with the world as a whole.—Frederick H. Osborn, deputy U. S. representative to UN Atomic Energy Commission.

but what happened to the "Little Brass God" is lost to memory.

NOT ALL GLORY—It has become an accepted custom during national weeks for this and that to write only in praise of the organization so honored.

It is not wise, therefore, to tell parents that sometimes the Scouting program is not as effective as it might be. For application of the program depends in a large measure upon volunteers, who serve without any reward except the satisfaction that comes in work with youth.

Scoutmasters and their assistants, backbone of the Scouting movement, need the interest and the cooperation of parents; the Boy Scouts of America must have the understanding and cooperation of the community.

If this interest and cooperation is lacking, the Boy Scout program is weakened and its value reduced to the boys of your community.

FOR THE BOYS—Not the least attractive feature of the Scouting program for boys is the annual summer camp.

The Red Buck district camp at Red Jack lake in the Hiawatha National Forest serves the boys of the eastern Upper Peninsula. The boys sleep in tents and eat wonderfully well in a central dining hall; they work and play under the guidance of a selected group of men from the district; they come home healthier, happier, and better prepared for life than when they left.

Camp is the highlight of the year for hundreds of Scouts, just as National Boy Scout Week marks another milestone for a fine organization—the Boy Scouts of America.

Public Forum

Be brief. Avoid personalities. Pen names are permissible but sign your real name and address to all letters. Help keep your community on its toes.

A Grass-Roots Country

The government of this nation is dominated by the small towns and the rural areas—not by the great city populations. That striking fact is developed in an analysis of the United States Congress published in the December issue of The American Press.

The analysis shows that 76 out of the 96 Senators—79 per cent—are elected by rural majorities, and that 54 per cent of the Representatives represent more rural counties than urban counties. For the purpose of the study, a rural county was considered to be one in which there is no community with more than 10,000 population.

The small number of Senators who represent predominantly urban constituencies mostly come from states with very small land areas and concentrated industry, such as Rhode Island and Connecticut.

The study shows further that 42 Senators and 132 Representatives have a weekly newspaper as their home town paper. It then said: "All of those from rural areas depend on weekly newspapers as one of their chief barometers of the opinions of their constituents."

The point is that, in spite of the growth of the cities, this is still a grass-roots country. The people on the farms, in the villages, and in the small municipalities have the dominant voice when it comes to electing the men who make our laws. The future of America is in their hands.

Local Reader

So They Say

If we believe in democracy, we must live and crusade for democracy like Communists crusade for communism.—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, U. S. delegate to UN Human Rights Commission.

We cannot achieve economic growth, prosperity and peace unless the living levels of the distressed peoples of the world are raised and the world's capacity to consume is increased.—Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman.

It (75-cent minimum wage) is a measure dictated by social justice. It adds to our economic strength. It is founded on the belief that full human dignity requires at least a minimum level.—President Truman.

In fact we may already have lost the armaments race.—Atomic physicist Dr. Harold C. Urey, urging U. S. development of hydrogen bomb.

There are two classes of people in China today—the people and the army—the army is sure of eating but the people are not.—Carl O. Hawthorne, former U. S. consul at Tsingtao, China.

One of the very important lessons that came out of the war experience is that most so-called normal persons will tend to break down under sufficiently severe and prolonged stress and strain.—Dr. Leo W. Simmons, Yale University.

If I had any more rights than I enjoy now I wouldn't know what to do with them. I'm a status quo girl myself.—Broadway star Carol Channing, on equal rights for women amendment.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON—Irate Coal Miners—Use of the Taft-Hartley act couldn't have come at a better time for John L. Lewis or at a

worse time for the country. For the first time in years there was real revolt against John L. in the coal pits. But not now. Now the Taft-Hartley act has made him a hero. Miners are suffering from the same factor which hit them before the war—overproduction plus increasing use of gas and oil.

But they had been on a short week, had been trying to negotiate—which is what the Taft-Hartley act provides for. Now they're required under a compulsory law to do what they were already willing to do.

Taft's Money—Republican National Chairman Guy Gabrielson has received a lot of gripes about the money pouring into Sen. Robert Taft's campaign. The complaints come from Republican candidates outside Ohio, who claim they can't raise funds because local fat cats are being touched for Taft's benefit. The Taft crowd is sending out chain letters urging that a Taft defeat would be "a complete surrender to Socialism—if not eventual Communism."

Playboy Communist—The playboy of Communist China, Gen. Chen Yi, is in trouble with the more Spartan Mao Tse-Tung, because of his lavish parties and a string of concubines. Early in December, General Chen gave the biggest whoop-de-do parties Shanghai has seen for a decade. Stories drifting out of Shanghai to U. S. intelligence say General Chen had nine houses and as many concubines, before he was dressed down by Communist superiors.

Dour But Efficient—Sen. Scott Lucas of Illinois, who looks as if he were sore at the majority leader—though he won't get credit for it. Few majority leaders ever do world, but isn't, is doing a bang-up job as—until they are promoted upstairs to become vice president. Even the now beloved Barkley was the object of unceasing brickbats as floor leader. However, Lucas can best be judged by results, and the job he has done of jamming the Truman program through congress is amazing.

Hopes The Lady Loses—California's Rep. Dick Nixon, a shrewd and courteous congressman, has indicated that he hopes a lady loses. The lady is Congresswoman Helen Gahagan Douglas, also of California, who is running against Sen. Sheridan Downey in the Democratic senatorial primaries. And the reason Nixon hopes she loses is that he, Nixon, is planning to run for the senate on the Republican ticket, and Downey would be easier to beat. "Douglas stands for something," Nixon told friends recently, "whereas Downey has been on all sides of almost every issue."

NO IMMIGRATION BY RELIGION
Forrest Donnell, the conscientious Missouri Republican, recently killed a discrimination feature in the displaced persons bill. It happened in a closed-door session of the senate judiciary committee, where Donnell listened carefully while Chairman Pat McCarran explained his D. P. bill in a piping voice.

After reading the formula for admitting displaced persons in proportion to the per cent of Americans with similar religious and national origins, McCarran wheezed: "Any questions?"

"I object," said Donnell firmly. McCarran looked as though he had been slapped by his best friend.

"I do not like this religious-proportion thing," spoke up Donnell stoutly. "For 150 years we have had the principle of separation of church and state. Man should be treated as an individual and not as a member of a minority group. He should not be discriminated against because of his religion."

There was a chorus of support from other senators, and the McCarran formula was knocked out.

DIPLOMATIC CABLES

More Russian U-Boats—General MacArthur has told the joint chiefs of staff that there soon will be 80 Russian submarines in the Pacific instead of 70. MacArthur reported that the Russians have shipped 20 more subs to North China over the trans-Siberian railway. They arrive unassembled and are put together by Russian technicians and workmen at the ports of Vladivostok and Komsomolsk.

Soviet Spy Scare—U. S. Ambassador Kirk reports there is a tremendous spy scare in Russia. Hundreds of persons have been arrested in the Ukraine on suspicion of spying for foreigners. Russian workers are being urged by posters, radio broadcasts and special lectures to report anything suspicious to the Soviet NKVD. Maybe Russia's success in spying on the west has made them jittery about their own security.

Bulgarian Break—A special Moscow courier has arrived in Sofia secretly by plane to urge the Bulgarian government to back down on its demand that the United States withdraw its minister, Nathan Davis. The American legation hasn't been able to learn the identity of the courier but it's believed he is Andrei Gromyko, deputy Soviet foreign minister. . . The secret visit shows the importance that Moscow attaches to the possibility that the United States will break with Bulgaria and close up the Bulgarian legation in Washington. The latter is a good listening post.

Communists Have Troubles—A serious riot by 20,000 textile workers against Communist authorities took place in Shanghai last month. It followed a wage cut and an announcement that the customary annual bonus paid by the China Textile company would be converted to people's bonds. Angry workers tore down pictures of Mao Tse-Tung and Chu Teh, while troops with machine guns were sent to the factory gates. One hundred workers were arrested.

Don't Like To Be Reminded Of It—Francisco Spain's chief lobbyist for American aid is the same gentleman who once gave Jap diplomats a big party in Vichy to celebrate the Japanese capture of Manila. He is Jose Felix de Lequerica.

Rock Gymnasium Floor Finished

New Building Is Ready For Practice

ROCK, Mich.—Workmen have completed laying the floor in the new Rock gymnasium and the building is now ready to be used for practicing.

No athletic games will be scheduled however until November 1950, when the entire building will be completed. During the summer, three coats of penetrating seal and three coats of finishing seal will be applied on the floor.

The new gymnasium is 75 by 90 feet and is one of the largest in Upper Michigan. Its width is great enough to allow two practice games to be played simultaneously. Over 1200 persons can be seated in the new structure.

In addition to the balcony and stage, seating arrangements will include telescoping bleachers, 16 feet long. Each of the 12 bleacher sections will seat 72 persons. When folded against the wall, the bleachers protrude only two feet, eight inches. The balcony seats 250 persons.

Glass basketball backstops will be erected in the new gymnasium, and these will be on hoists so that they may be removed for stage performances.

An electric clock with score numbers a foot high, which automatically records the number of minutes and seconds remaining for play will also be installed. Both the bleachers and the clock have arrived and are ready for installation. Mats to be placed as obstructions in end zones have also arrived. These mats help prevent injury to players.

The gymnasium will have six backboards, four of which were made in the school shop under direction of Victor Mankiewicz. The swinging department was made by Herman Johnson, superintendent of construction.

Two large heating units, with 6,000 cubic feet per minute heat exchangers, and two air circulators with four recessed radiators, will provide heating and ventilation.

The stage in the new school building will be 27 feet wide and 46 feet long, and will be used as a combination stage and lunch room. Off the dining room, a kitchen, 17 by 20 feet will be built. A combination walk-in cooler and store room for food will be built at the opposite end of the combination dining room and stage.

In addition to the above, the new structure will provide a band room, new kindergarten, shop large enough to house farm equipment and automobiles for practice repair, a science room for physics, chemistry and agriculture classes, a general classroom, an office, vault and seat storage space.

Corridors in the new building will be flanked with lockers and will be in symmetry with corridors in the old building. Rooms now occupied by the kindergarten and locker rooms will be converted into a home economics department.

It is expected that the new kindergarten, kitchen, dining room and shop will be ready for use by next September. When completed, the building will be modern in every respect, and a lasting credit to Ewing and Maple Ridge township citizens.

A formal opening will be held sometime in the coming summer. Donations and contributions from students, alumni, and citizens of the community were used to pay, in part, for bleachers and the glass basketball stops. Additional funds for the bleachers were raised Monday night when the Lions club gave a benefit show at the Rocket theatre.

MADE HIM AN ACTOR

Thomas A. Watson was the first man to hear words spoken over a telephone. To be more clearly understood when he spoke over the phone, he took up the study of elocution and became so interested that he became an actor at the age of 56.



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The second part of the life history of the man and wife who are two of the greatest Americans of our time is one of the many features in the current issue of True Story magazine. It is a warmly human account of their wedding, honeymoon, and early married life in New York and Albany, events that shaped the personalities of the future President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

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PLAYS LEAD ROLE—Miss Ruth Backels, special instructor for the oral-deaf department of Escanaba public schools, plays the lead role of Mrs. Mannington in the Escanaba Civic Theatre production of "Angel Street."

Miss Backels, a graduate of Augustana college at Rock Island, Ill., has a broad background of theatre experience and is a talented player. Among productions in which she has played lead roles are "Dark Victory," "A House Like This," "One Night in Bethlehem," "Our Town" and "Neils Ebbesen." Other plays with which she has worked include "Arms and the Man," "Joan of Lorraine," and "Eve of St. Mark." She is a member of Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatic fraternity, a native of Marquette, Mich., and has taught in Escanaba two years.

Tickets for "Angel Street," which will be produced Feb. 15 in W. W. Oliver Memorial auditorium, are available from the cast, members of the theatre group, Mitz's, Biscie drug store, Gust Asp, Delta Music Center, Saykly's, Garrard Jewelers, Sav-More market, the Bark River cafe and the Ivory Drug store in Gladstone.

Odd Fellows Confer Degrees Saturday Night

Initiatory degrees will be conferred upon a group of Odd Fellow candidates at a special meeting of Impellant Lodge 460, I. O. O. F., Saturday night at 8 p. m. The degree will be conferred under leadership of Captain Charles Pariseau.

A large attendance of members is desired. Visitors are invited. Lunch will be served after the meeting.

The butterfly fish often swims backwards, its tail appearing to be its head.

Grand Marais To Give Show

Will Raise Money For Polio Fund

GRAND MARAIS, Mich.—The Burt township polio committee will sponsor a minstrel and radio show at the Grand Marais high school auditorium on Tuesday, February 14 at 8:15 p. m. All proceeds will go to the polio fund.

The minstrel and radio show features an all star cast of 60 entertainers including Grand Marais home talent. This same group is also performing in Munising and Trenary and the organization itself is sponsored by the Alger county polio committee.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from salesmen representing each organized group in Grand Marais or may be bought at the door Tuesday evening.

The quota for Grand Marais is \$400. At present the committee has raised \$270 and has \$130 to go.

On Saturday the Camp Fire Girls will canvas the town with tags stating "I Helped Fight Polio." All donations will be gratefully accepted.

Pinochle Club
Mrs. Charles Bleckner was hostess to the benefit card party sponsored by the St. Ann's Guild, on Tuesday afternoon at her home. Last week the group met at the home of Mrs. Christine Vaudreuil and next week will meet at the Lawrence Tellier residence.

Among those attending were Mrs. Paul Murray, Mrs. Lawrence Tellier, Mrs. Raymond Meldrum, Mrs. R. G. Dunne, Mrs. Joseph Des Jardine, Mrs. Levi Meilleur, Mrs. Henry Pettipren, Mrs. Herman Pettipren, Mrs. Christine Vaudreuil, Mrs. Hector Barney, and Mrs. Charles Bleckner.

First prize was won by Mrs. Hector Barney and the consolation award went to Mrs. Harry Bailey.

Personals
Mrs. Clifford DeRosa of 35628 Main street, Wayne, Mich., underwent a major operation last week at the Wayne hospital. Her sister, Mrs. Donald Shalla of River Rouge has just recently returned home from the hospital following an emergency appendectomy.

They were formerly Mary Ellen and Celina Tellier, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tellier of Grand Marais.

The United States has more than 2,000,000 acres of irrigated pastures.

Eagles Will Hold District Meeting

A meeting of Eagles from District 17 has been called by Werner A. Olson of Escanaba, district director, to be held in the Eagles clubrooms at Iron Mountain Sunday at 2 p. m. District 17 includes Delta, Menominee and Dickinson counties. About 20 members from Escanaba are planning to make the trip.

Iron Mountain aerie number 428 has promised several hours of entertainment after the business session and another feature in their program will be a rabbit supper, cooked and served by members over 70 years of age.

The fifty-second anniversary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be commemorated throughout the Eagle jurisdiction in February with the holding of programs in tribute to the fraternity. The organization got its start on February 6, 1888 with six men and has now developed into a fraternity of more than a million members and some 1,775 aeries. During World War II the leaders of the Fraternal Order of Eagles saw fit to organize the Eagles memorial foundation in honor of the Eagle members who never returned. A fund was formed from donations from Eagle members and the several Eagle aeries. The fund is now carried on by a seal campaign.

The first report issued in January shows the foundation family now numbers 1,278 boys and girls and it was revealed treatment for dental services led with 631 benefited. Tonsillectomies number 132 cases. Expenditures total \$33,580.38 for 1949.

Miss Sodermark Is The Bride Of Jack Johnson

FORD RIVER—Miss Virginia Sodermark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sodermark of Ford River, became the bride of Jack Johnson, son of M. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, 709 Dakota avenue, Gladstone, at a ceremony at the home of the bridegroom's parents in Gladstone, Saturday afternoon, February 4. Mr. and Mrs. Arne Johnson were attendants.

A reception for family members and close friends was held following the ceremony.

The newlyweds went to Milwaukee for their honeymoon. Mr. Johnson is employed by the Scott Dairy.

Personals
Lt. and Mrs. James Buckingham of Fort Wayne, Ind., are new residents of Ford River and are making their home in the Lydia Knutson cottage. Lt. Buckingham, who

Get Wised Up On Income Tax

(Editor's Note: This is the first of 12 stories explaining who must do what and how about his 1949 income tax return.)

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON —(AP)—Midnight of March 15 is the deadline for setting up on your 1949 income tax.

If your 1949 income was \$600 or more, you must file a return, whether or not you owe any tax. If you own any, you must pay it in full.

This applies to every man, woman and child, married or single, who had \$600 or more income in 1949.

Under-\$600 income is free of tax. If your less-than-\$600 income in 1949 had some tax withheld from it, the government will return it—but only if you file a return. It's the only way you can get a refund.

The internal revenue collector has sent most people income tax blanks. If you don't have yours, you can get it at the nearest collector's office or at most banks and postoffices.

A number of points will be explained separately and in detail in the other 11 stories of this series, such as:

Who uses what form for filing his return; the problem of husband-wife filing.

Their filing of joint returns; exemptions; deductions; dependents; and how to fill out various forms.

Keep these highlights in mind: In every case where the wife has no income, a couple can't lose money by filing a joint return. Joint returns will save money even in most cases where husband and wife both had income.

That's because under present law husbands and wives are allowed to split their income, each claiming half, thus throwing each half into a lower tax bracket and making the total tax less.

Watch your exemptions. Each exemption you can rightfully claim means \$600 chopped off your income before what's left of it can be taxed.

Each person filing a return gets

is with the U. S. Army Air Force will be stationed at the recruiting office in Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson of Milwaukee visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson Wednesday.

Escanaba, 'Stique In Peninsula Debate District Tourney

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(AP)—It's prep debate time again.

The full scale district high school debate eliminations get underway this month with 59 Michigan schools participating.

Those schools which have won at least five out of eight preliminary debates with other schools will be admitted to the district competition. Winners of the eight district meets will enter the quarterfinals and on April 28 the state championship debate finals will be held at University of Michigan.

a \$600 exemption for himself, \$600 for each dependent, and \$600 for his wife if she had no income or files jointly with him. If she had income and files a return separately, she claims her own \$600 exemption.

In addition to the usual \$600 exemption he gets for himself, anyone filing a return also gets an additional \$600 off if he's blind, and another \$600 off if he's 65 or older. He gets the same extra \$600 exemption for his wife if she's blind or 65. But he does not get these extra exemptions for a dependent.

And—watch your deductions as a way of reducing your tax.

District centers will be located at Alpena, Alma College, Grand Rapids, Creston, High, Albion, Jackson, Plymouth, Flint, Central and Saline.

Manistique, Escanaba, Menominee and Baraga will meet in an Upper Peninsula tournament to determine the champion of that area.

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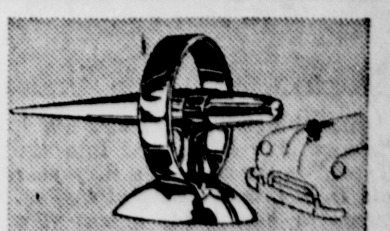
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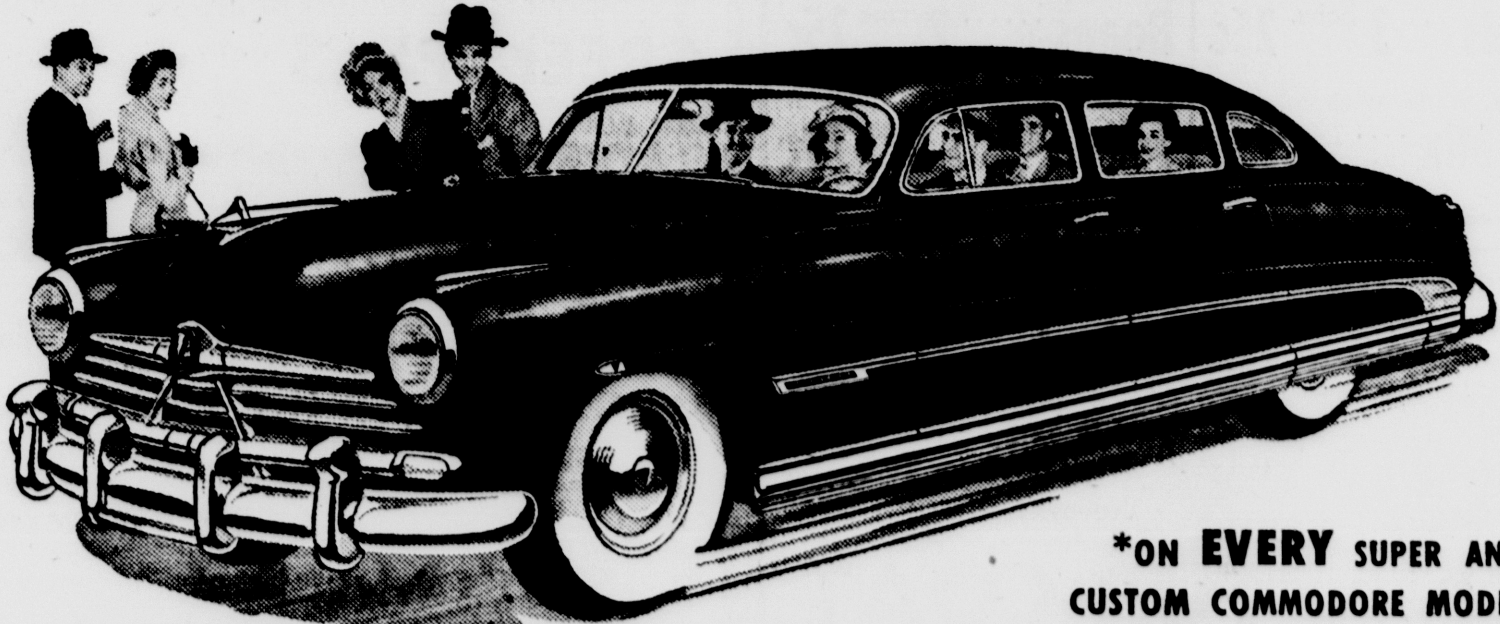
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Observance Of Juliette Low Birthday Planned

Plans for a city wide observance of the birthday anniversary of Juliette Low, founder of Girl Scouting, were made at a meeting of the Girl Scout Leaders Club yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Ross.

The observance will be held on March 13 at the Recreation Center and its theme will be "World Friendship."

In connection with plans for the observance at yesterday's meeting a talk on the theme of the program was given by Mrs. Clyde McGonagle.

Schaffer

P. T. A. Party
Schaffer, Mich.—The P. T. A. meeting will be held Tuesday evening at the school. Following the business meeting, games will be enjoyed. Each member is asked to bring a prize valued at a quarter. Founders month will be observed. Everyone is welcome. Lunch will be served.

Card Club
Mrs. Wallace Anderson entertained her card club on Wednesday. After dinner the guests enjoyed card games with the highest score won by Mrs. Wm. LaVallie and lowest, Mrs. Albert. Guests present were Mrs. Larry LaMarche, Mrs. Ed. LaMarche, Mrs. Art St. Cyr of Danforth and Mrs. Clarence Martin and Mrs. Clarence LaMarche.

News Items
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gauthier and children of Escanaba visited Sunday at the Lawrence Richer home.

Joe Grimore of Manchester, N. H., arrived Tuesday evening to spend a two week vacation at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Auger. Mr. and Mrs. Zigmund Sheski of Spalding visited Sunday at the S. W. Melnis home.

Mrs. Melton Viau returned home Tuesday from Chicago where she attended the funeral of an aunt.

Cornell

Extension Club
CORNELL—Mrs. Harold Woodward was hostess to the Home Extension club Tuesday evening at her home. Lamp shades and trays were made by the group. Mrs. Woodward served lunch during the social hour. Attending were Mesdames Oral P. Thompson, Tomas Anderson, Morten Schire, Howard Schere, Ted McFadden, Harold Woodward, John Backlund, Alfred Dahl and Clayton Ford.

Cornell Lions Club
Members of the Cornell Lions club enjoyed a 7 o'clock dinner at the town hall Tuesday evening. A business meeting followed the dinner after which films of the therapeutic department in Escanaba Junior high school were shown.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. John Angera have returned to Iron River after a visit at the home of her brother, Ira Hudson.

Elmer Olson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Olson, who recently received his honorable discharge from the service, has returned home. He enlisted a year ago and was acting corporal at Fort Lewis, Wash.

If you still have holiday fruit cake around, heat it in the top of a double boiler and serve it with a fluffy hard sauce.

New Hemingway Novel



Ernest Hemingway's new novel, "Across the River and into the Trees," is the story of a fifty-year old U. S. infantry colonel who returns to Venice for a last visit with a young and beautiful Italian girl. They are happy in their intense love, but it is a happiness made poignant by their realization that the war-battered colonel hasn't long to live. Hemingway, in describing their last visit, recounts the events in the soldier's colorful life which made him the brutal, and yet strangely tender man that he is. The novel starts in the February issue of Cosmopolitan magazine and is Hemingway's first work since his famous "For Whom the Bell Tolls," published in 1940.

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Personal News

Miss Mary Jane Hurley left today for Chicago to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Corbett left this morning for Rochester, Minn., to visit with her husband, who is receiving treatment in St. Mary hospital. Mrs. Corbett will remain in Rochester until her husband is dismissed.

Robert Mosenfelder returned to Chicago today after spending a few days here on business. Mosenfelder hopes to purchase a business and make his home here shortly.

Mrs. C. S. Norton of Gladstone left today for Chicago where she will spend a few days with relatives. She was accompanied by Mrs. George Norton and two children who are going to Council Bluffs, Iowa, to visit with Mr. Norton, who is teaching school there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hurley left today for Lampoc, Calif., to visit with their daughter Margie, and Mr. and Mrs. George Hurley Jr. The Hurleys will also visit in Austin, Texas, with Edward Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wicklander. Enroute home from their three-week visit they will visit in Chicago with their son Jack and other relatives.

Miss Lois Mae Hill is arriving tonight from Milwaukee for a weekend visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hill, 1812 First avenue south.

Rock

Honored at Shower
ROCK, Mich.—Mrs. Francis Cayer of Escanaba was honored at a pink and blue shower held Wednesday evening in the parlors of the Finnish Lutheran church at Rock. Lunch was served by the hostesses and Mrs. Cayer was presented with many lovely gifts.

Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Bert Cayer and Mrs. Ludwig Nynas.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morin have returned from Spalding where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson LaBonte.

Mrs. Charles Lee of Detroit is here for a several weeks' visit at the home of her father, Charles Sihvola. Her son, Charles, Jr., who has been hospitalized for the past two weeks returned home Monday.

Brother Dies
Arvid Mustonen has been advised of the death of a brother in Finland. The Mustons who planned to visit Finland this spring are going ahead with preparations for the trip.

Parents of Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Van Damme of Cornell are the parents of a daughter born February 9 at St. Francis hospital. The baby is the second child in the family.

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Soo Hill PTA Has Founders Day Program

The Soo Hill PTA observed founders day at a program meeting held at the school Wednesday night.

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Members discussed purchase of a radio-phonograph with Paul this equipment was raised by parents, teachers and students during the past year.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Melvin Wicklander, Mrs. H. Hulett, Mrs. J. Whitney and Mrs. J. Vanacker.

Hermansville

4-H Club Meets
HERMANVILLE, Mich.—The 4-H Club of Cunard recently met at the Harold Allen home. Members present were: Gail, Ione and Marjorie Allen, Ruth Wells, Karen Lacasse, and the leaders, Mrs. Harold Allen and Mrs. Albert Schultz.

Parents of Son
Mr. and Mrs. George Whitens are the parents of a son, John Alderick, born Tuesday afternoon at the Daggett Maternity Home, Daggett. This is the fourth son in the family.

Parents of Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weaver are the parents of a daughter, Dorothy Mae, born Monday night at the Penn Hospital in Norway. This is the second daughter in the family.

C.Y.O. To Meet
The C.Y.O. will hold their regular meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the basement of the St. Mary's church. Plans concerning the party to be held on the

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schroder, 316 North 14th street, are the parents of a daughter, Romaine, born this morning at St. Francis hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds and seven ounces.

Boys' Sunday At Bethany Church

Boys' Sunday will be observed at the morning worship at Bethany Ev. Lutheran church on Sunday. Boys of the parish will be seated with their fathers and the Boy Choir will sing. The sermon theme is "The Light of the World."

Story Of Lion Saturday Morning

The exciting story of "Any and the Lion" and also the story of "Benjamin Busby" will be told by Miss Betty M. Harris, children's librarian, at the Saturday morning story hour at Carnegie public library. The story program begins at 10.

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Party For Guest
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Personals
Miss Katherine Vadivich and Donald Green have returned to Manistique after a visit at the

Harvey Sundin home. Mrs. John Wood has returned to Manistique following a several days' visit with her sisters, Mrs. Arvid Sundin and Mrs. William Bonifas.

Miss Marigold Sundin and Al Asplund of Powers are at the Arvid Sundin home for a week's vacation.

Jack Sundling has returned to Detroit where he is employed after spending several weeks here with his family.

John Wester, who is confined to his home suffering from pneumonia, is slightly improved.

Frank Wittig has left for Holland, Mich., to spend the remain-

der of the winter at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bonifas and daughter, Teddy, have returned to Woodruff, Wis., after a several days' visit with relatives here.

John Johnson has moved his house to the Papineau farm.

Mrs. Ellen Groleau has returned from Gladstone where she has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sundling.

Nancy Forslund has returned from Nahma where she was the guest of Carol Woggles.

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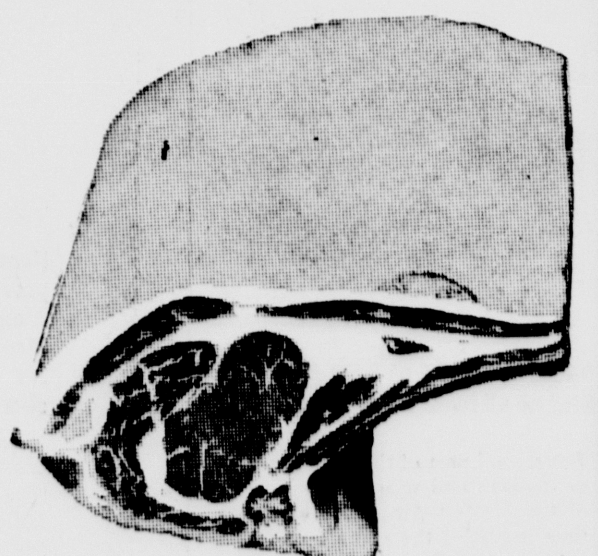
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Dinner Reservations

Members of the Sportsmen's club and their friends planning to attend the ski tournament at Iron Mountain February 26 and the dinner following it are asked to make reservations by calling 22 between 9 and 5 before Saturday noon. The club members will leave for Iron Mountain promptly at 12:30 p. m. by chartered bus from the Greyhound bus depot.

Eagles Reservations

Reservations for the Eagles Auxiliary dinner Monday evening at the club rooms honoring Mrs. Dorothy McDonald of Calumet, state president, should be made not later than Saturday with Mrs. Ernest LaCrosse or Mrs. Herman Groff. The dinner at 6:30 will be followed by a business meeting, initiation of a large class of candidates and a social hour.

Personal News

Mrs. John Hulin of 512 South 13th street has returned from Oak Park and Chicago, Ill., where she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Greene, her son-in-law and daughter, and her sons Willard and Vern and other relatives and friends. She was away seven weeks.

Mrs. Anne Schlesinger of Ann Arbor is visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bender, jr., Ford River.

Seney

SENEY, Mich.—Don Sadler has returned from Marquette where he underwent an operation at St. Luke's hospital.

Burt Furst attended a meeting of road workers at Iron Mountain Saturday.

Word was received last week by Mrs. Charles Smith that Mrs. Eva M. Smith is quite ill with pneumonia at her home in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Smith is well known here having visited here every summer.

The Cribbage Club met again last Thursday with 26 members present. Hostesses were Mae Hutt and Thelma Niemi. First prizes were won by Clyde Tobin and Mrs. Smithson and low by Avis McArthur and Roy McDowell.

Several of the ladies have organized a snow shoe club. There are 5 members so far. Every other day they may be seen hiking up along the Fox river. Incidentally this is very good for reducing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilman and Mr. and Mrs. Henry from Germfask were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sadler are leaving next week for Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Sadler will receive a physical check up at the Mayo Clinic.

The Home Extension Group met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clyde Hutt. Routine business was taken care of after which the meeting was turned into a birthday party honoring Mrs. Celia Tovey. Several games of cribbage were played with prizes going to Doris Walstrom and Betty Shirtz. A delicious lunch was served with a candle light birthday cake centering the table. Mrs. Tovey was presented with a gift from the club. Those present included Ada McDowell, Doris Walstrom, Jennie Nelson, Betty Shirtz, Pearl Smith, Thelma Niemi, Allie McArthur, Hazel Furst, Celia Tovey and Mae Hutt. The club decided to hold a bake sale at the Sadler store on Saturday Feb. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Farley and Mr. and Mrs. Max Larson from Manistique were callers at the Clyde Hutt home this week.

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Candidates for the Queen of the North title registered here at 1 p. m., today. Tonight they will be guests of the Lions club at a banquet in the Sherman Hotel, and afterwards will attend the Escanaba Ice Revue. They will skate for their tests shortly before intermission.

Church Events

Covenant Class
Confirmation instruction will be given at the Ev. Covenant church Saturday at 10.

Immanuel Meetings
Immanuel Confirmation class meets at 10 Saturday morning and

the junior choir will meet at 11.

Bethany Groups
Bethany meetings Saturday are: 9th grade confirmation class, 8:30 a. m.; Sunday school choir, 9:45; Triolet choir, 10:30.

Next time you make a chocolate pie and you have some leftover coffee try substituting the coffee for about half the milk. Nice flavor.

Lodge Invited
To Gladstone

Members of Mineral Queen lodge 445 have been invited by Happy Helpmate lodge of Gladstone to a 6:30 supper Wednesday evening, February 15, at the Gladstone hall. Reservations are to be made with Mrs. John Auskis.

Ensign

Birthday Party
ENSIGN, Mich.—Jeanette Rudenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rudenberg, celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon, February 8th. A delicious lunch was served, and Jeanette received many gifts. Among those present were Mrs. Harold Lundquist and daughters Deanna and Sharon, Karen Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stenlund, Mrs. Harold Gustafson, and Mrs. Anna Larson and son Carl.

Personals
Blash B. Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolf, recently won a trip to Fort Worth, Texas, where he represented Michigan State College in the dairy judging contest held there. He is a senior and will graduate this coming spring.

Miss Inez Strand, who is attending NMCE at Marquette, spent last week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Strand, during midsemester vacation.

Clarence Weiks is a surgical patient at St. Francis hospital at Escanaba.

John Wolf and Tony Mauher will leave soon for Michigan State College, East Lansing, where they will take a short course in the D. H. I. program.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Erickson and daughter of Gladstone visited Sunday at the Andrew Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brannstrom of East Lansing, are the parents of a son born Tuesday, January 31. Mr. and Mrs. Brannstrom spent the summer vacation months at Ensign.

AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

Rev. Gerald W. Bowen, Missionary-Pastor
Central Sunday School at Cornell Methodist church at 10:00
Mrs. Ed Wight, acting supt.

Hendricks Union Sunday School
at the Hendricks Chapel at 10 a. m. Mrs. Wallace Campbell Supt.

Brampton Union Sunday School—Chapel at 10 a. m., Mrs. Martin Arvey, Supt.

Ford River Mill—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Mrs. Dalip Rehnquist, Supt.

Soo Hill Union Sunday School
at school house at 9:30. Mrs. Rudolph Bauer, supt.

Cedardale Union Sunday School
at school house at 1.—Mrs. John Soujanen, supt.

Kirby Union Sunday School
at the Kirby home in Perronville at 2 p. m. Robert Kirby, jr., Supt.

Fox Union Sunday School
at Jacobson home at 10:00 C. S. T. Mrs. Einar Jacobson, Supt.

HERMANVILLE METHODIST PARISH
John A. Larsen, minister
Cunard Methodist — Worship service at 2:00. Women's Bible class Tuesday afternoon. Christian Fellowship Saturday, Feb. 11.

First Methodist, Hermansville—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Sunday school recognition service Sunday evening at 7:30.

Immanuel Methodist Norway—Worship service at 9:30. Sunday School at 10:30.

Business session Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Larson.

Faithorn Methodist — Worship

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service at 11:00.

Salem Lutheran, Bark River—Church school at 9:30 a. m. Divine worship at 10:45. Sermon: "A Great Beam of Light." Maynard O. Hansen, pastor.

St. Charles (Catholic) —Rapid River—Confessions Saturday evening at 7:30. Sunday masses at 8 and 10 a. m.—Rev. Fr. Anthony Schloss, pastor.

Bark River Methodist —Church
school at 1:30 p. m. Classes for everybody including adults. Afternoon worship services at 2:15. The senior choir will sing. Youth rally at Gladstone at 3:30.—Otto H. Steen, minister.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Sunday school at 10 at Danforth school house, Escanaba, Route One, Robert Sheppard in charge.—A. M. Boomer, pastor.

St. Andrew's Catholic, Nahma—Daily Mass at 8:00. February 12 Masses at 8 and 10:30. Mass at Isabella at 9:15.—Father Charles Reinhart, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal—Sunday school at 9:30. Stanley Lancaster, supt. Myron Moore, assistant.—Rev. Herbert Wilson, Vicar.

Calvary Lutheran, Rapid River
Church school at 10:30. Confirmation class members not present at first session meet at 7 p. m. Divine worship at 8 p. m.—May-

nard O. Hansen, vice pastor.

Seventh Day Adventist—Sabbath school, 9:45; Church service at 11. Weekly Bible study and prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.—Keith Morey, pastor.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran, Hyde—Sunday school teachers meeting at 8:45. Sunday school at 9:00. Divine services at 10.—Rev. A. A. Schabow, pastor.

Bark River Mission Covenant—Services at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Olson.—John P. Anderson, pastor.

Congregational, Rapid River—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Worship service at 9:40. Sermon by Rev. Gerald Bowen.

Harris Township Presbyterian—Divine worship at 2 p. m.—James H. Bell, minister.

Cornell Methodist—Sunday school at 10 a. m.—Karl J. Hammar, minister.

Bethel Lutheran, Stonington—Holy communion service at 3 p. m.—Maynard O. Hansen, pastor.

Salvation Army—Special meeting conducted by Escanaba Corps at Cornell school house at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 12.

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River—Sunday school, 10:15. Divine service, 10:45.—Rev. Theophil Hoffmann, pastor.

Watson Sunday School—Class at Watson school at 10 a. m.—Rev. Jack Doyens, pastor.

Watson Gospel Chapel—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Evening Gospel service, 7:30. Message by Rev. Birger Swenson of Escanaba.

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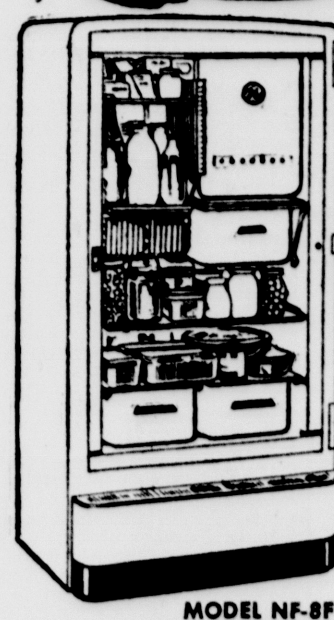
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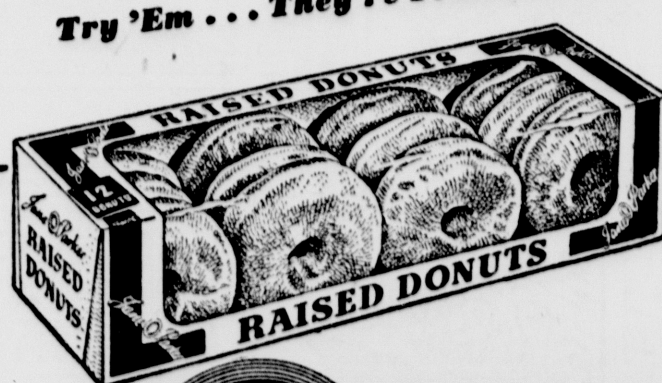
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Launched Last Summer
The Sykes was built by American Ship Building Company at Lorain, Ohio, was launched late last summer, and made her first trial runs in Lake Erie, recently, performing to the satisfaction of her builders and her new owners. Capt. H. H. Kizer, of Chicago, her new commander, was delighted with her test runs.

Her speed will enable her to make round trips between Duluth and Lake Erie ports in about five days, compared with six to six and a half days for most ore vessels. Her owners figure she will be able to make 44 trips a season, with an average of 34 trips, with 12,000 to 14,000 tons per trip for her smaller sisters.

There are only three ore-unloading docks big enough to accommodate her—at Indiana Harbor, Ind., Conneaut, Ohio, and Cleveland. The giant Hulettes at these ports, picking up 18 tons at a bite as they descend into her holds, will be able to unload her in five or six hours.

Safety and Comfort
The new vessel brags about every possible gadget for safety and comfort—a pilot house equipped with the latest navigational devices, including radar, radio compass, gyro compass, ship-to-shore telephone, automatic steering gear.

The quarters are luxurious, a far cry from the crude quarters of the earliest ore carriers. Four double staterooms were designed by a Chicago interior decorator for the owners and guests. Each room has a private bath, and the lounge has a glassed-in observation room outfitted with a built-in television set.

Each of the nine officers will have his private stateroom, each with bath. The 27 crewmen will live in two to a room, each room with its own bath. There are three dining rooms—one for the officers, one for the crew.

Passageways Below Decks
And, wonder of wonders, the crew and officers no longer will have to fight their way in bitter weather from one end of the ship to the other by hanging on lines as they walk the deck. Instead, there are two passageways below decks.

The new ship is 678 feet long, 70 feet wide, and, powered with geared 7,000-horsepower turbines, she will make 16 miles an hour loaded. The rakish-built vessel will be big enough to carry 28,000 tons of cargo, but probably never will. Her owners will have to content themselves with loading her with about only 20,000 tons of cargo per trip—enough to fill about 400 ordinary railroad hopper cars. That's because the connecting waterways—the St. Mary's River, between Lake Superior and Lake Huron, and the Detroit River, between Huron and Lake Erie—are too shallow to accommodate her fully loaded.

And how does that compare with others of the vessels in the fleet of nearly 300 American flag ore vessels on the Great Lakes? The large ones are about 600 feet long, generally 60 feet wide, carry 14,000 tons of cargo per trip, and have speeds of 11 to 13 miles an hour.

The present record for tonnage is held by the steamship Benjamin F. Fairless, owned by United States Steel's Pittsburgh Steamship Company. She once carried 18,725 tons of ore—but the Fairless is one of the World War II vessels, previously the biggest vessel on the lakes.

The luxurious Sykes is a far cry from the earliest iron ore carriers of the Great Lakes—and the iron ore traffic really got its start back in 1885 when the new canal around the rapids in the St. Mary's River was opened. Before that time, vessels traveling between Lake Huron into Lake Superior had to be hoisted out of water and move around the rapids on rollers.

Then came the new canal—and the growth of the iron-ore shipping business. The first vessel through the new canal was the Columbia, which carried a cargo of 132 tons of iron ore in barrels. Bigger and bigger vessels came along—and now the Sykes, the greatest of them all. The Sykes is so big that she will be unable to get under the Duluth ore loaders—no until she takes on 10,000 or 12,000 tons of water ballast to load her down—but she will take on her ore cargoes in two or three hours.

Set out water for birds in clay or wooden bowls to prevent freezing—or add an old pocket mirror to reflect warming light.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

By AP Newsfeatures

JUDITH ANDERSON, born Feb. 10, 1898 in Adelaide, Australia, daughter of a wealthy Scot who lost his money when Judith was a child. Star of the stage and screen, her first play was "A Royal Divorce" when she was 17. She recently toured in "Medea."



JUDITH ANDERSON

Hero Of Foxholes Missed Schooling

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP)—A young Army hero who won the nation's highest award for valor at the age of 18 now is attacking an educational objective.

"I want to finish grammar school," said Master Sergeant James R. Hendrix. "After all I'm 24 now, and I ought to be getting on with my schooling. I want to learn all I can."

The stocky, red-haired, freckle-faced paratrooper, who came here to appear in a film short for the American Cancer Society, plans to attend a school at Camp Campbell, Ky., his present base.

"I only got to the fourth grade before the war," he grinned. He said he quit to go to work so "the younger kids" could have a chance. He is the second oldest of 14 children in the family of a Lepanto, Ark., cotton farmer.

Hendrix is a man for whom death has taken a holiday. He went through 8 months and 21 days of doughboy combat overseas without a scratch. On Christmas eve, 1944, in Belgium, he won a daylong battle rampage that won him the congressional medal of honor. Between dawn and dusk he:

1. Pulled three wounded American soldiers from flaming vehicles.
2. Drove the crews away from two 88 field guns by his rifle fire.
3. Destroyed two enemy machine gun positions.
4. Killed 7 Germans with his rifle.

5. Captured 13 other Germans. "All I got was a few bullet holes through my clothes," he recalled.

As a medal of honor winner, he could pick his branch of service. So he transferred out of the armored infantry into an airborne division, which had turned him down earlier because of his color blindness.

Last September he had another miraculous escape from death. While making his eighth jump from a plane, both his chutes failed to open and he plunged 1,000 feet to the ground. The durable Hendrix wasn't even dented.

"But I did make a two-and-a-half-foot hole in that plowed field," he laughed.

A-Skeert Of Dying?
Since then he has made six more parachute jumps without incident.

"I feel sure now I'm going to die of old age," he said. Hendrix hopes to put in 30 years of service, retire at 48 to an Arkansas farm "and raise cows, hogs and chickens."

The army has been good to me, he said. "I was drafted into it, but once I got in I found I liked it. Up to now it has given me everything I wanted in life. A lot of the fellows who were in it overseas stayed in for that reason."

Jim lives by a simple philosophy of courage, and feels he has security. He isn't worried about old age, or going broke, and says he doesn't think life will get him down.

"I live today," he said, "because tomorrow isn't here yet."

When I asked him if there wasn't anything in the world he was afraid of, Jim thought a while and said:

"No, I guess I can't think of a thing right now I'm a-skeert of. Well, if I am a-skeert of anything I guess I'm a-skeert of dying."

India To Produce Its Own Atomic Energy

NEW DELHI, India, (AP)—Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru said India would produce its own atomic energy "in a reasonable time."

Speaking in Parliament, Nehru said the government already had taken steps to process atomic raw materials, presumably uranium ores, and plans to have a small atomic pile producing energy within a few years.

He said a factory for processing the raw material probably would be in operation within a year.

The lack of adequately trained personnel, Nehru said, was hampering India's atomic research much more than lack of finances. He added, however, that the "nucleus of workers covering different techniques already are trained" and said other personnel is being instructed.

India is in touch with "numerous foreign scientists," Nehru said, and some Indians are being trained abroad on atomic energy.

Minimum Wage Law Is Strict Permit Needed To Pay Less Than 75c

CLEVELAND, O. — Stringent regulations apply to the issuance of certificates permitting the payment of less than 75 cents an hour under the Fair Labor Standards Act, William S. Singley, regional Director of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, U. S. Department of Labor, pointed out here.

"Congress did not intend to give blanket approval to employers to pay less than the statutory minimum, merely upon making application for certificates," he said.

"For example, learners' certificates may be obtained only after a showing by the employer that the occupations in which it is proposed to employ learners require sufficient skill to necessitate a substantial learning period.

"Furthermore, it must be shown that experienced workers are not available for employment in these occupations and that fulfillment of opportunities for employment will result if the application is denied."

Singley pointed out that many employers have sought learners' certificates for persons employed for the first time as typists, stenographers, clerical workers in various types of office jobs, and for statement clerks and check desk clerks in banks.

"The Administration has found, however, after careful study, that subminimum rates in these types of jobs are not necessary to prevent curtailment of employment opportunities," Singley said. He has ruled also that in the majority of these occupations the techniques and skills required can be learned in a relatively short time. Accordingly, the applications have been denied.

Regarding employment of boys after school in maintenance work, the Divisions have ruled that here, again, such occupations cannot be considered as skilled and have denied the applications.

Singley explained that handicapped workers' certificates, permitting payment of less than 75 cents an hour, are issued only after presentation of satisfactory evidence showing that as a result of age, physical or mental disability, a worker's earning capacity has been reduced in a particular job.

He warned that, even in cases where it is anticipated that certificates will be granted, employers must continue to pay at least 75 cents an hour until they actually have the certificates on file.

Grand Marais

V. F. W. Auxiliary
The Ladies' Auxiliary to VFW Post 6030 met Tuesday evening at the cottage. Approximately 25 members were present.

Mrs. Alex Niemi, Jr., presented her report on the Regional meeting she attended in Manistique. Plans were completed for another card party to be held February 25, at the cottage.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nobben, Mrs. F. J. Seymour and daughter Dolores MacDonald visited Mrs. William Campbell and infant son, Matthew Allen, at the Tahquamenon general hospital in Newberry Monday afternoon.

Sayre Ostrander, Alex Krapp and son Albert motored to Newberry Monday. Sayre visited his mother, Mrs. Jessie Ostrander and Mr. Kropp and son visited at the John Kropp home. Albert remained at his uncle's for a few days. Alex MacDonald has returned from Whitefish where he was employed at Browns. Joseph Desjardins is still at Browns.

ABSOLUTE zero on the Centigrade scale is minus 273.16 degrees.

Legals

February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the ninth day of February, A. D. 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Applin, Deceased.
Nelson P. Jensen, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest in said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the seventh day of March, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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January 27, 1950 February 10, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Myra B. Mason, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that two months from the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1950, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1950, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the fourth day of April, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 23, A. D. 1950.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

Legals

February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the sixth day of February, A. D. 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Bridget Riedy, Deceased.
Raymond Riedy, executor named in the will of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to said estate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Raymond Riedy, or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said seventh day of March, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the thirtieth day of January, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gust Herbst, Deceased.
William Herbst, son and heir at law of said deceased, having filed in said Court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to William H. Herbst, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the eighth day of February, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nicholas Bouras, also known as Nick Bouras, Deceased.

Philip G. Herro, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account and petition, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the seventh day of March, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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January 27, 1950 February 10, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-fifth day of January, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ludger Mayrand, also known as Ludger Mayrand, Deceased.

Lawrence Mayrand, executor named in the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Lawrence Mayrand, or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said twenty-first day of February, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin Walstad, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that two months from the tenth day of February, A. D. 1950, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1950, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 8, A. D. 1950.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles J. Holm, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that two months from the tenth day of February, A. D. 1950, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1950, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the fourth day of April, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 23, A. D. 1950.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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February 3, 1950 February 17, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the second day of February, A. D. 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Max Kurz, Deceased.
Harlan Velland, administrator with the will annexed of said estate, having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the seventh day of February, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of August Johnson, Deceased.

Arthur W. H. Johnson, sole devisee and legatee and nominated executor under the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Arthur W. H. Johnson, or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said eighteenth day of April, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the eighth day of February, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nicholas Bouras, also known as Nick Bouras, Deceased.

Philip G. Herro, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account and petition, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the seventh day of March, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-fifth day of January, 1950.
Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ludger Mayrand, also known as Ludger Mayrand, Deceased.

Lawrence Mayrand, executor named in the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Lawrence Mayrand, or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said twenty-first day of February, 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin Walstad, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that two months from the tenth day of February, A. D. 1950, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1950, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1950, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 8, A. D. 1950.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

February 10, 1950 February 24, 1950
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

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Dated January 23, A. D. 1950.
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February 10, 1950

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The theory that there is no type of music that has more general appeal than that provided by a well balanced band and the close harmonies of male singers, was well demonstrated here Wednesday evening.

Not in years has any local entertainment been favored with a larger crowd than that which attended the concert presented at the high school auditorium by the Manistique Municipal Band, with the assistance of the Escanaba Barber Shop Chorus.

Every available seat was taken in both the auditorium and the gallery and about one hundred extra seats were commandeered from other parts of the building to accommodate the crowds, still many people had to stand.

And the entertainment lived up

to expectations. The band was in splendid form doing justice to a wide variety of overtures, marches and waltzes. The range lay between the formal "Poet and Peasant" overture to the "Bugle Call Rag." As a special feature of the band's part of the program were three xylophone numbers by Max Naylor who put varied interpretations and syncopations to his playing that thrilled the crowd and reminded many of such performances when vaudeville was at its best.

The Escanaba Barbershop Chorus, its members resplendent in Gay '90 checkered vests and bat ties, favored with ten syncopated close - harmony - packed numbers, scoring particular hits with such numbers as "The Old Song," "You Tell Me Your Dreams," and "Cony Island Baby."

Also added to the chorus' part of the program were specialty numbers by Sam Ham, the chorus director, who regaled the audience with several songs in Scotch dialect, the presentation being made in suitable costume in the true Harry Lauder manner.

The concert was, without doubt, the most successful one of its sort held in Manistique in many years.

Wants Quarry
Pool FilledCity Manager To
Make Proposal

The quarry pool, which every so often comes up as a subject for discussion at city council meetings—sometimes as an asset and sometimes as a liability to the community, will be placed before the council, at its meeting Tuesday evening, as something which should be done away with.

A recent mishap, in which a small child fell into open water made by ice cutting operations on the pool, has again raised the question as to what should be done with this body of water.

City Manager H. W. Heidman will ask permission of the council to have the pool drained and then filled in.

The city manager states that while he realizes that during the summer season the pool is popular with swimmers, he is of the opinion that at present it is a decided menace to public safety. In its present status, it should not be used at all as a pool and making it practical for public use would cost more than constructing a modern pool, he says.

Other matters of interest to be taken up Tuesday evening include an engineer's report of the water situation in Manistique. The Francis Engineering company which has been assigned by the city to look into such matters will make the report.

Banks, City Hall
Court House To
Be Closed Monday

With Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12, falling on Sunday, Monday automatically becomes a legal holiday. Local banks, the court house and the city hall will be closed on that day.

Lincoln's birthday is not recognized as a legal holiday by the U. S. postoffice department and business as usual will be conducted in that department here in the city.

Greece Makes
Appeal To Local
Countrymen

"Greece mourns her thousands of children abducted by communists into enemy countries. Give her them back," is the message contained in a postcard received by George Babladelis from his native land.

In the letter accompanying this message it is explained that in the war between the communists and the established government in Greece, thousands of children in various parts of that country—particularly the northern part—were taken as hostages by the communists. Now since this warfare has ceased, the people of Greece want these children back. Thus far, all efforts to effect a return of these children have failed.

Babladelis received the letter from Athens the first of the week.

Harmonizers Of
Yesteryears Are
Recalled Here

Seeing and hearing "Danny" Lester Danielson, with the Escanaba Barbershop Chorus, brought back memories of a quarter century ago to a number of Manistique music lovers.

"Danny said he got most of his first musical experience here in the Methodist choir, but he did most of his harmonizing with the old Woodman Quartet," says one of these old timers.

The Woodman Quartet was an organization which was frequently called on to sing at fraternal, civic, PTA meetings and between acts at home talent shows which were so popular in those days.

With Danny in this quartet were Bill Stewart, Ian Winn and Ferd Gorsche. Bill has passed on, Winn lost his voice following a serious illness, Gorsche devotes most of his musical talent to the band and Danny has moved out of town but is still carrying on and going strong in the SPEBSQSA.

KEEP GRADUATES HOME
HASTINGS—(P)—The Hastings Chamber of Commerce is going to try to keep the town's young people in Hastings after they finish high school. The chamber announced a program of co-operation with local industry to try to induce high school graduates to remain here instead of seeking jobs elsewhere.

The U. S. Public Health Service investigated five epidemics believed to be "sleeping sickness" in 1949.

Church Services

Bethany Lutheran (Isabella)—2:30 p. m. Sexagesima service 3:15 p. m. Confirmation class.—Rev. G. A. Herbert, pastor.

First Baptist (Gulliver)—Church school, 10:30 a. m. Worship service, 11:15 a. m. Theme: Highlights in John 14.—Rev. Peter Porta, pastor.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ L. D. S. (Gulliver)—Church school, 10 a. m. Communion service, 11 a. m.

Congregational (Cooks)—Feb. 12. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Worship service, 11:15 a. m.—Rev. Bowen, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal (Nahma)—9:30 a. m. Church school. Stanley Lancaster, Supt. of church school.—Rev. Herbert A. Wilson, Vicar.

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Dorothy Patrick

"The Mysterious
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Tim Holt - Richard Martin

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Companion From
Watery Grave

Two four-year-old children played the role of hero and heroine Wednesday afternoon. They are Bobbie Hedberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hedberg, 227 Potter street; and Karen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sjogren, next door neighbors. They pulled Karen's sister, Alpha, age two, out of the icy water of the quarry pool after the little girl had tumbled into the open water where ice harvest operations had been in progress that day.

The children were a long, long way from home when the incident occurred. Bobby explained to his mother later that they had heard someone play music and they set out to find out where it was. The music was a bugle call sounded at the Lakeview cemetery where a funeral was in progress. Wandering aimlessly, they came to the skating rink where children were skating. Tiring of this diversion, they wandered to the pool. Suddenly there was a splash and a muffled scream. Terror stricken Bobbie and Karen saw Alpha lying in the water. "Her arms and legs were spread out just like a frog," Bobbie told his mother, "I grabbed her hand and Karen grabbed her leg and we pulled her in."

Very soon after that William Eck became aware of the child's plight. He took her into the heated building, nearby took off her wet clothes and wrapped her in a blanket. Then he took her home, none the worse for the experience.

Of course Bobbie's and Karen's parents didn't like the way the children wandered off, but then, you know, you can't take truants to task under such circumstances.

Briefly Told

Bake Sale—The Women's Guild of St. Alban's Episcopal church will hold a bake sale on Friday afternoon, February 17 in the Quick Electric Store, 207 South Cedar street. The sale will begin at 1:30.

Nurses Club—The Nurses Club will meet Monday, February 13 at the home of Miss Mary Stephens, North Houghton avenue.

Plan Card Party—Members of the Shrine Club are sponsoring a card party at the Masonic hall on the evening of Saturday, February 11. Masons, ladies and OES members invited. Shriners wear their fezzes.

City Briefs

Harold and Don Jackson have returned to East Lansing where they are students at Michigan State College, after spending the weekend at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jackson, Arbutus avenue.

Sgt. Laurin DeVine has arrived here from Fort Riley, Kan., to spend a furlough with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. John Riley of Marinette spent the weekend here with relatives.

Pfc. Don Jessick, who recently returned from the Aleutian Islands, is spending a 30-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jessick, Garden avenue.

WRITES TO CHURCHILL
ATHENS—(P)—Beau Godde, eight year old grammar school pupil, is getting to be a pen pal of Britain's Winston Churchill. The Calhoun county boy has received two notes from Churchill, each thanking him for sending birthday greetings. Beau and Winston have birthdays on Nov. 30.

To Entertain
Queens HereC-C Luncheon Host;
Girls Visit Park

Candidates for Queen of the North will be entertained in Gladstone tomorrow.

They are to be judged on ability to snowshoe and ski on the flats and slopes of the Gladstone Sports Park on the Days River. Snowshoeing will be from 11 to 12 o'clock noon and skiing tests from 2 to 4.

At noon they will be guests of the Gladstone Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon to be held at the Racht club. Miss Judy White, Gladstone, Upper Peninsula State Fair Queen, will be the official hostess.

Miss Delores Hart, Gladstone Winter Queen, will represent this city, and members of her court, Wanda Lee Vogt, Pat Miller, Roseann Sirola and Dawn Louie, will be guests at the luncheon.

Attending will be the Queen of the North candidates, their chaperones, judges, Conservation department representatives, several state police and contest officials. Others desiring also may attend the luncheon, it is announced. Provision is being made for about 70.

Wives of Chamber of Commerce members are in charge. Included in the group are the Mmes H. T. Brewer, Jos. VanArman, Fred Siebert, Hilding Norstrom, E. H. Noblet, Elmer Beaudry, Walter Lied, John Ulrich, Charles Hoffos and Leo DeRoock.

Youth Fellowship
Rally Here Sunday

A sub-district rally of the Methodist Youth Fellowship is to be held at Memorial Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

Represented will be to churches of Gladstone, Manistique, Escanaba, Bark River, Stephenson and Menominee.

There will be a worship service at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. Wallace Cameron as speaker. A business meeting and recreational period are to follow. Concluding event will be a supper at 6 o'clock served by the host church.

Briefly Told

Novena Service—Novena services are to be held tonight at 7 o'clock in All Saints' Catholic church.

Los Angeles Slayer
Awaits Gas Chamber

LOS ANGELES—(P)—The state supreme court is apparently all that stands today between Fred Strobbe, 68, and the gas chamber at San Quentin prison.

Strobbe, convicted sex slayer of 6-year-old Linda Joyce Glucoft, was sentenced to death Tuesday by Superior Judge Charles W. Fricke. Fricke denied a motion for a new trial, but all death sentences in California must be reviewed by the state supreme court.

The Glucoft girl's body was found Nov. 14 under rubbish at Strobbe's home. She had been strangled and hit on the head with an axe. Strobbe said he killed her when she started to cry when he fondled her.

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RIVER LADY

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GLADSTONE

PHONE 3741
State Bldg.Welfare Club To
Meet February 21

Conflicts have forced several changes in the plan for the next meeting of the Child's Welfare club, Mrs. J. D. Staple, president announces. It is now definitely set for the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 21, after having been originally set for the 13th and then postponed to the 20th. Also, it is to be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Jackson on Michigan avenue, instead of at the home of Mrs. A. H. Miller.

City Briefs

Miss Beverly Burt and her guest, Miss Mary Bradish of Crystal Falls, have returned to Marquette, Mich., where they attend the NMCE, after spending the mid-semester vacation visiting at the Bradish home in Crystal Falls and the George Burt home, city.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson of Escanaba visited on Sunday at the George Burt home.

Mrs. Jack Burroughs left this morning for Kansas City, Mo., to spend a week visiting with her sister, Miss Elaine Norton, who is a stewardess for TWA Airlines.

be unable to improve the present situation.

"We thank you for your cooperation in the past, and will appreciate your help in making Scouting a vital thing to the girls of Gladstone."

Meet To Plan
Girl ScoutingMothers Of Scouts
Asked To Gather

An important meeting of mothers of local Girl Scouts and their daughters is to be held next Monday at 7 o'clock in the Gladstone high school, according to a form letter sent out by Mrs. Clyde McGonagle, chairman of the Gladstone Girl Scout association.

The letter states in part: "To make an equal opportunity to all intermediate Scouts who have been registered at one time, it is necessary to do some planning together. The purpose of this meeting, therefore, is to reorganize these troops as to leadership and program, and to straighten out the troop records and finance. Due to lack of leadership, some girls have been without the proper attention. We are trying to rectify this and we know that, with your help, it can be done. We need this opportunity to evaluate your suggestions and complaints which, we hope, you will feel free to express at this meeting. If we do not have your complaints and suggestions, we will

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to offer my sincere thanks to the Sister Superior and members of the nursing staff at St. Francis Hospital and to several physicians for their assistance during the long illness of August (Cap) Johnson. I also want to thank relatives, neighbors, and friends for their expressions of sympathy and assistance following the death of my beloved uncle. Memory of these acts will long remain with me.
Signed:
Arthur Johnson

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Fresh Killed Local	
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COFFEE	61c
Co-op	
SWEET PEAS 6 16 oz. cans	57c

Eskymos Set For Maroons

Escanaba Eskymos will throw height, increased poise and experience and the psychological support of a home town crowd at the Menominee Maroons at junior high tonight in an effort to avenge a 45-35 setback at Menominee last Friday the 13th.

Coach Steve Baltic plans to start Paul Baldwin, Axel Anderson, D. Shomin, Warren Johnston and Buddy Weber, the quintet that performed effectively against Stephenson and Gladstone in the Eskymos' last two outings, but Jim Heiden, high scoring forward of the pre-maximum-height days, is sure to see plenty of action.

The game will get underway at 8.30 and will be preceded by a

game between Menominee and Escanaba reserves at 7. Al Rudness, Negaunee, and Ray Ranguette, Manistique, will officiate.

The Eskymos have worked hard the last two practice sessions in an effort to get more offensive punch into their game. On several occasions at Gladstone, the Eskymos advanced the ball within scoring range only to get tied up with the ball and lose a reasonable set shot chance or take a hope shot off balance or from the corner.

Coach Baltic's pronounced axiom the rest of the route is "Shoot when you have a reasonable chance to score." And that would be from anywhere on or near free throw line range. Too

often, it appeared, the Eskymos lost a scoring chance by trying to work the ball in for a close-in setup or dog shot. Not that that isn't the ideal thing, of course, but the old saying is that in order to score it is necessary to shoot.

Menominee has had an in-and-out season and has been somewhat hampered by injuries. At times, Menominee has looked potent and it is regarded as always capable of high scoring rampages.

As far as the Eskymos are concerned, the 10-point defeat at Menominee is the tipoff. Reaching their peak for tournament play, they'd like to do something about squaring that tonight.

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Escanaba Daily Press SPORTS

"It Seems To Me"

BY JIM WARD
Sports Editor

Hermansville Host To First District Cage Meet Since '37

HERMANVILLE — Hermansville is preparing to entertain the Class E district high school basketball tournament to be held in the Community Club gymnasium, March 2, 3, and 4.

The following committees have been appointed:

General chairman—T. L. Doran
Ticket committee—R. Marcoe, Mrs. J. W. Kleimola, William Elzenzoph

Reception committee—Supt. J. E. Wells, Coach Bob Tacker
Programs and publicity—J. W. Kleimola
Seating—I. Sutherland, G. Daniels, H. Lombard and W. Bond

Traffic and safety—Andrew Vescolani
Hermansville will entertain the following Class E teams: Trenary, Nahma, Perkins, Daggett, and Carney.

Every effort will be made to make this tournament a success. Hermansville is grateful for the privilege of entertaining a district tournament this year. The last state high school district tournament entertained by the local school was held in 1937.

J. W. Kleimola is tournament manager.

New York Rangers Beat Hawks, 5-3; Back In 4th Place

(By The Associated Press)

The New York Rangers, hopeful of grabbing a berth in the Stanley Cup playoffs, were back in fourth place in the National Hockey league today and Rookie Doug Adams probably will stick around a bit longer.

New York knocked off the Black Hawks last night at Chicago, 5 to 3, and broke a tie with the Boston Bruins for fourth place. It was the only league game of the evening.

Adams, up from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast league, hadn't shown enough in his two previous games with the Broadway Blues to rate a permanent berth on the squad.

He didn't score any goals against Chicago, but was credited with an assist in the second period when Buddy O'Connor beat Goalie Frankie Brimsek at 6:51 to put the Rangers in front, 3-1.

Adams was playing in the third line with O'Connor and Jack McLeod, and it was reported that the coast player would have to score or make some showing or he wouldn't be in a Ranger uniform when New York meets Detroit at Madison Square Garden Sunday night.

Harnischfeger tipped the K-C, 49-32. Reynold Houle and Roy Christensen hit 10 and nine for Harnies and Bob Tupper and R. Sararowski had 11 and eight for the Knights.

Summary:

PLAYERS	FG	F	PF
Dick Wiles	0	0	0
Jack Cloutier	2	0	2
Don Martineau	0	3	2
Dick Danielson	0	1	2
Dick Cota	2	0	8
Tom Schwalbach	4	1	3
Totals	19	5	10

WAIT WINDOW

PLAYERS	FG	F	PF
Ray Roberts	6	0	1
Carl Fassbender	4	2	1
Joe Aiken	0	0	0
Bob McCarthy	0	0	0
Red Williams	7	3	4
Joe Herro	0	0	2
Ed McCarthy	1	0	2
Met Teal	0	0	0
Frank Stropich	0	0	0
Totals	27	5	10

Merchants

PLAYERS	FG	F	PF
Wait Window	14	5	17-43
Officials: Stan Abrahamson, Fred Boddy	9	13	16-25

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COACHES STRIKE

NEW YORK.—(AP)—A strike of New York public high school coaches still was unsettled today after a top-level conference of New York city educational authorities. The coaches, who teach health education, are protesting an increase in their periods of teaching from 30 to 33 a week. They demand the same 30-period schedule as academic teachers. Each period lasts about 45

minutes.

Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee Mich. faces Alice Bauer of Midland, Tex., in the upper bracket while Marjorie Lindsay of Decatur, Ill. plays the younger Bauer sister, Marlene, in the other match.

Miss Wall upset defending champion Peggy Kirk of Findlay, O., 5 and 4, yesterday and

set a new course record for women with a brilliant 69, three under women's par. Men's par for the Palm Beach golf club course is 70.

Miss Wall was out in two under par 33 and came in with one under 36 to shatter the old record of 71 set by Miss Kirk and Miss Lindsay in qualifying play in 1948.

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Charles Conacher Incident Simmers Down In Detroit

DETROIT.—(AP)—After the original loud and long explosion, the National Hockey League's "Conacher incident" only simmered today.

Sins were plentiful, however, that there might be more noise later.

A court fight was in the offing and some kind of action was anticipated from the league's high officials.

All this stemmed from Charles Conacher's alleged sock at a Detroit sports writer and a dispute between Conacher and referee Bill Chadwick.

The incidents marked the Detroit Red Wings' 9-2 lambasting of Coach Conacher's Chicago Black Hawks here Wednesday night.

Upon returning home to Chicago with his team yesterday Conacher admitted he struck Walter in the Black Hawk dressing room. He charged that Walter called him a name.

"I let him have one," Conacher said. "Nobody calls me that and gets away with it."

In court here Walter swore out an assault warrant, meanwhile denying he called Conacher a name.

"That's a plain lie," Walter said. "I called him no names. I wasn't angry and my relations have always been friendly with Conacher."

The warrant probably won't be served on Conacher until the Black Hawks return here for a game March 11.

NHL President Clarence Campbell is expected to act on the Chadwick-Conacher incident when he gets the referee's formal report.

Conacher is said to have seized Chadwick in disputing a decision. League rules forbid laying hands on an official.

On the dressing room affair, Campbell made no formal comment.

However, a newspaper here (Free Press) quoted him as saying at Montreal that it was a "personal matter" between Conacher and Walter.

DARTBALL

The dartball center in Escanaba is active four nights a week, Jerome Deloria reports. Persons interested in playing are invited to stop in Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

On Monday night are games between Gladstone Redshirts and Eddy's and Gladstone No. 2 and Birdseye Maroons. In previous exhibitions, Presbyterian beat Phoenix 3-1, 7-3, 11-4; Birds Eye Maroons beat Immanuel Lutheran 5-4, 8-4, 6-8, and in makeup games, Eddy's beat Wood Ticks 4-0, 1-11, 10-0.

L & R beat Ely's 3-1, 1-2, 1-0 in the women's league. The following are Industrial league results: Birds Eye Maroons defeated St. Joe Boosters 9-3, 5-2, 7-1; Boosters took two from Wood Ticks 5-3, 10-0, 3-5; Eddy's won two from McVess, and Eagles No. 1 lost three to Birds Eye Maroons by 7-5, 6-3, 5-4.

In the Civic League, Eagles No. 2 and Brackett had a hot time in the first game, playing 15 innings for a record before the Chevies finally won, 10-8. They won the second 9-4 and lost the third 6-8.

The Press took two from Phoenix by 16-6, 9-18 and 21-6 and Birds Eye Local took three from St. Ann CYO, 17-4, 5-0, 19-3.

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Casualty List Grows

Fast At Aspen, Colo.

ASPEN, Colo.—(AP)—The casualty list is growing on Aspen's ice-coated courses of the World Ski championships next week.

Silvia Muehleemann, 20 of Switzerland, fractured an ankle in a nasty spill on the women's downhill course yesterday.

Borghild Niskin, rated Norway's best woman skier, may have fractured a shoulder in another upset. Another Norwegian, Per Klippen, a University of Colorado student, sprained an ankle.

The \$58,281 purse of the 1949 Little Brown Jug at Delaware, O., was a record for a pacing race.

Hiawatha Pin Tourney Winners Announced

GLADSTONE.—Mickey Naylor, Viola Trombly, Gladstone Bakery, Nell Salmi, Joann Morgan, Babe Bowden, Escanaba Fair Store, Lou Barnhart, LaVerne Manson and Aurelia Searies.

That is the list of first place winners in the annual Hiawatha

Women's Bowling tournament which was concluded last weekend at the Gladstone Midway alleys.

Mickey Naylor won the Class A all-events without handicap and paired with Nell Salmi to win the Class A doubles. Joann Morgan won the Class B all-events with handicap and Babe Bowden the all-events without handicap. Fair Store won the Class B team event, Lou Barnhart the Class B singles and LaVerne Manson and Aurelia Searies the Class B doubles.

Top 10 in each class follow:

CLASS A

All events with handicap, Mickey Naylor 1584; without handicap, Viola Trombly 1462.

Teams—Class A

Gladstone Bakery, Glad. 2275

Campbells, Rock 2244

Wally's Gladstone 2228

Lee's, Escanaba 2217

Kirt's, Escanaba 2215

Corner Tavern, Rock 2214

VanMills, Gladstone 2200

Bob's Appliances, Rock 2199

U. P. Mutual, Rock 2182

CLASS A Singles

Mickey Naylor 557

Annette Meyers 525

Marian Peterson 521

Mabel Stenma 521

Theresa Gillis 516

Marian Long 508

Viola Trombly 506

Alice Skoglund 505

Madelyn Archambeau 504

Alice Krout 501

CLASS A Doubles

Viola Trombly-Nell Salmi 995

F. McPherson-Annette Meyers 970

D. Fitzpatrick-Babe Bowden 944

Amelia Perman-Lucille Miller 932

R. Needham-Bunny Moersch 927

A. Fosterling-Verna Larson 921

Bern Schmitt-Lil Freeman 916

D. Karkoshik-Elaine Niemi 905

M. Archambeau-S. Van Daele 901

V. LaLonde-Gerry Korinek 899

CLASS B

All events with handicap, Joann Morgan 1417; without handicap, Babe Bowden 1358.

Teams Class B

Fair Store, Escanaba 2086

 Phoenix, Escanaba 2013 || Mike's, Escanaba 2002 | |
Bank River Bank 1994	
Swenson's, Gladstone 1975	
Rock Post Office 1968	
Armo, Bark River 1957	
Red Owl, Escanaba 1944	
Beaudry's, Gladstone 1937	
Kashbom's, Escanaba 1933	
CLASS B Singles	
Lou Barnhart 495	
Mary Masterson 481	
Corrine Teal 463	
Jean Wickam 461	
Babe Bowden 457	
Ida Salmi 455	
Grace Waeghe 455	
Joan Morgan 452	
Marie Hendrickson 442	
Florence Neumeier 439	
CLASS B Doubles	
L. Manson-Aurelia Searies 947	
Rose Bracke-Jo Kinkella 923	
Freda Baribeau-Lois Swank 891	
Margaret Groleau-J. Morgan 855	
Mickey Naylor-Mary Menard 842	
Algeria Westlund-Ida Salmi 837	
Gen O'Leary-Grace Casimir 835	
G. Magnusson-S. Newborne 823	
Sadie Artley-Ida Creten 821	
Marian Gazley-Val Praiss 813	


QUITE A TUG — Ted Williams is pleased that the baseball banquet season has come to a close. Williams, pictured at the Boston edition, spends it pulling on his collar. At all other times, the Red Sox thumper is noted for open sport shirts. He rarely wears a tie.

Lineup For Junior Basketball Play

The Eagles and Sparks Escanaba junior basketball teams will play between halves of the Escanaba-Menominee high school game at the junior high gym here tonight. All members are asked to be at the gym door at 7 sharp.

Schedule for tomorrow follows: 9 a. m.—Sparks and Franklin, 10 a. m.—Midgits and Eagles, 11 a. m.—Webster and Hawkeyes. All other teams will report at the junior high gym at 1 tomorrow afternoon.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

Erie, Pa.—Joe Sgro, 144½, Indianapolis, outpointed Sammy Mastrean, 144, Pittsburgh, 10.
Philadelphia—Jackie Floyd, 132½, Philadelphia, stopped Jimmy Collins, 131½, Philadelphia, 6.
Brooklyn (Broadway Arena)—Fred Montfort, 135, Brooklyn, outpointed Jimmy Warren, 136½, Brooklyn, 8.
Syracuse, N. Y.—Steve Belloise, 160, New York, outpointed Burl Charity, 159½, Youngstown, 10.
New York (Sunnyside Garden)—Joey Atria, 144½, New York, outpointed Jimmy Donnelly, 144½, New York, 8.
Pittsburgh—Leon Daugherty, 149, Washington, D. C., outpointed Wilfred Miro, 148, Havana, 8.
Hartford, Conn.—Johnny V. Potenti, 149, Worcester, outpointed Vic Cardell, 146, Wilson, Conn., 10.

Dempsey-Firpo Go Wins 'Most Dramatic' Honors

NEW YORK.—(AP)—For throbbing sports drama, the primitive Dempsey-Firpo brawl of Sept. 14, 1923, ranked tops in the Associated Press' mid-century poll.

Almost 27 years later, the events of that savage first round still pack the raw drama of a life-or-death struggle between two jungle beasts.

When Luis Angel Firpo rose from his seventh knockdown to bull Dempsey across the ring and knocked the world heavyweight champ into the press section, he touched off an argument that

may simmer for another 50 years.

Missed Big Chance

Did Firpo, the huge "wild bull of the pampas" actually win the title that night at the Polo Grounds?

The record books say "no." Many ringsiders say "yes." They insist Dempsey never would have "climbed" back into the ring if friendly boxing writers hadn't helped.

Dempsey should be the next source. Here's what he said recently when interviewed after he was named the best fighter of the mid-century:

"I didn't even know he had knocked me out of the ring until I came to on my stool between rounds," Jack said. "I thought I had been knocked out."

The brief second round, lasting only 57 seconds, was almost an anti-climax. Firpo missed his big chance in the first when he hesitated momentarily after Dempsey's return. A Dempsey right almost dropped him for an eighth time just before the first bell.

Ruth's Called Shot

Dempsey wasted no time in the second. He floored Firpo for a five-count and then stretched him out with a left to the head followed by a chilling right to the chin.

No other phase in the AP 50-year-poll drew as many different answers as the question of "most dramatic."

Babe Ruth's fabulous feat of "calling his shot" on a Whigley field home home run in the 1932 world series at Chicago was a close-up second.

The famous Dempsey-Tunney "long count" at Chicago in 1927 drew heavy support. So did Lou Gehrig's heart-tugging, farewell appearance at the Yankee stadium in 1939.

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North Dakota Six At Michigan State

EAST LANSING.—(AP)—North Dakota, one of the leaders in the collegiate hockey race, will move into East Lansing tonight for a two-game stand against Michigan State.

The Nodaks, with 10 wins and a tie in their first 14 games, are aiming for a spot in the NCAA hockey playoffs in March. North Dakota recently scored four straight wins over Minnesota and split a two-game series with powerful Michigan.

The Spartans, who revived hockey this year, have yet to register a win in six games to date. Coach Hal Paulsen has been encouraged, however, by a recent improvement in the MSC, rink play.

Walcott Win Brings About Ring Reforms

PHILADELPHIA.—(AP)—Jersey Joe Walcott's knockout of Harold Johnson is leading to some ring reform here.

It will be mandatory for boxing promoters to have a stretcher and blankets ready at the ring for every show.

Johnson's departure from the ring Wednesday night was delayed until a stretcher was brought. Walcott placed his own robe over his rival, who was stretched out in pain from a back injury.

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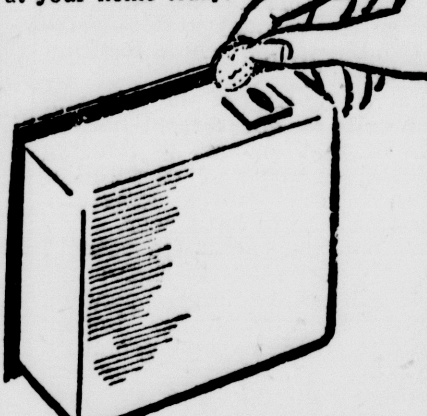
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Grim Primer Is Printed On Atom Menace

By C. YATES MCDANIEL
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The federal government has handed the nation a grim primer in construction problems of the atomic age. It issued a report entitled "Damage From Atomic Explosion and Design of Protective Structures" dealing in matter-of-fact language with requirements for buildings which might have to undergo the tremendous force of a nearby A-bomb blast.

The best advice it could offer builders was to erect important structures as far from strategic areas as possible, or put them underground.

It called for dispersal of potential war plants, and said the most vital industries might have to bury themselves deep in caves and mines.

Based On Hiroshima
The report was prepared by the National Security Resources Board, for use by civil defense planners across the nation. It will be distributed by the NSRB to the governors of all the states.

The report's findings are based on studies made largely in Hiroshima, the first city to feel an atomic blast.

Surveys made in Japan, it said, showed that heavily framed steel and reinforced concrete buildings offered the greatest resistance to an atomic explosion.

The report said well-constructed frame buildings stand up well against blast, but are vulnerable to fire.

It cautioned builders against all-brick walls that support floor beams and roofs. Such structures in Japan, the report said, "were engulfed by the oncoming pressure wave and collapsed completely."

The report assumed that damage within one-half mile of the point immediately below an aerial explosion would be "so severe as to make protection of above ground facilities impractical within that area."

But outside this area, "a great deal can be done to minimize the damage" from air blast, earth shock, atomic rays and heat.

As a step in the right direction, it called attention to building codes adopted in 11 western states concerned about possible earthquake damage.

Soft Steel Best
Under these codes, buildings must be strong enough to resist horizontal forces varying from two per cent to 16 per cent of the vertical loads.

The report said large new structures should be fire resistant and strengthened against blast and ground shock.

Soft structural grade steel was recommended for reinforcing, because it bends without snapping as easily as hard steel.

The report estimated that this country has about 320,000,000 square feet of floor space available to vital industries in mines, many of which are reasonably near labor supply and transportation.

"There may be tunnels or caves near cities," it added, "that can be used for control centers, emergency operating rooms, or for storage of medical supplies."

"They must be in good condition and in a suitably stable geologic formation."

The report is the second in a series based on a comprehensive atomic study being prepared at the atomic energy commission's Los Alamos, N. M., laboratory. The first report, issued last month, dealt with medical problems.

Pound Devaluation Has Scared Golfers Away From England

LONDON—(AP)—Only a handful of overseas invaders will chase British professional golf titles this summer.

Present indications are that none of them will be Americans. The devaluation of the pound is scaring them off.

Bobby Locke, South African sharpshooter, will be back to defend his British Open title. Norman Von Nida and Ossie Pickworth of Australia have promised to show up and Hassan Hassanein of Cairo, who won the Egyptian Open in December, plans a brief tournament swing here.

Floyd Van Donck of Brussels, a regular competitor in England, probably will be back.

So far nobody else has said he's coming.

Locke and Von Nida have been invited to play in the American Masters' tournament at Augusta, Ga., before coming to England. Pickworth, who beat Jim Ferrier of San Francisco in a playoff last year, is the Australian Open champion. He will be making his first appearance in England.

Counterfeit Money In Iron Mountain
IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich. — A suspect is being held in the county jail here, awaiting investigation by Secret Service agents following reports of the circulation of counterfeit money.



SEEK TITLE—Miss Sally Gingrass, at left, 18-year-old Iron Mountain high school senior, will represent her home town in the U. P. Queen of the North contest. Miss Gingrass was selected as Iron Mountain-Kingsford Winter Sports queen this month. She is an expert skater and has participated in many ice revues. At right is Miss Velma Mae Webber, Newberry's Winter Queen and that community's candidate for the Queen of the North title. Miss Webber is sponsored by the Newberry Business and Professional Woman's Club. Miss Gingrass is sponsored by the winter sports association of Iron Mountain-Kingsford.

Candidates for the Queen of the North title registered at the House of Ludington this afternoon and this evening will be guests of the Lions club at a dinner in the Sherman Hotel. Congressman Charles E. Potter will crown the Queen of the North at ceremonies in William Bonifas auditorium Saturday night, following a 6 p. m. banquet in St. Joseph hall.

Following the coronation, the new Queen of the North will be escorted, by Congressman Potter of Michigan, Congressman Walter Norblad of Oregon, State Senator Colin Smith of Grand Rapids and State Senator LeRoy H. Roy of Hancock, to the Ice Varieties of 1950 at the indoor rink in the fairgrounds building. After making a brief appearance at the ice show, the queen will return to St. Joseph hall, where a ball will be held in her honor.

"Ice Varieties Of 1950" Is Spectacle Of Beauty

"Ice Varieties of 1950," Escanaba's 12th annual home produced ice show, this year is truly a spectacle of beauty. It is a show pleasing for everyone, whether one speaks of the soloists, the dazzling line productions or the comedy teams.

The show this year is set to music arranged by Bill Clark with the Ammels, Bernard, Patsy, Mary Grace and Dorothy, singing the vocal accompaniment. Musical portions of the show are also supplied by the St. Cecilia choir, which under direction of Fr. Louis Cappel, has been appearing on many programs.

Some excellent skating by soloists and line skaters is to be seen in the show. The entire production is enhanced by beautiful costumes and a classic-setting designed by Robert Plave.

Of the line productions, "Toyland," featuring Patsy Davis as the package from Toyland, and George Carroll as the toymaker is one of the most entertaining. Ten Dresden dolls in appropriate costumes are set on the outer edges of the ice rink, and within

this circle are 12 dancing dolls and a line of wooden soldiers. The toymaker skates about, winds up the toys, and thus starts the dances of the dolls. The act closes with the toymaker unable to stop the marching wooden soldiers, and "shooting" the whole line of them. Beauty, fantasy, surprise and plenty of action are incorporated in this thrilling act.

Children's Number
Another production number which scored very well with the capacity audience last night was "Jungle Rhythm," with Jim Bink as the drummer, and Carolyn Johnson and Jimmy Cretens as soloists.

In this act, a line of 16 skaters to jungle rhythms, in costumes suggestive of the tropics. Both soloists are good in their parts, and drew much applause for their performances.

Little children four to seven years old were entertaining last night in a sprightly number called "April Showers." Though their skating was not always as successful as they wished, the children gave the audience action and gaiety. The number closed with a rumble of thunder, and lightning which sent umbrellas up, and the whole cast in motion in a "busy" exit.

Other performers in the first half of the show were Donna Sullivan and Billy Goodreau, who gave a fine exhibition of formal skating; the four rabbits, Lorraine Gardner, Verna and Anette Paquette and Joan Johnson, who fed carrots to the audience while they skated in clever routines; Helen Gunkel and Howard Dufour who were featured in "Waltz Time"; John Moore and Jim Bushey in a Little Boy Blue comedy number; and John Derouin and Wally Larsen in "Sailor Ashore," a comedy number.

Rhapsody In Blue
Mrs. Jeanette LeCampion, director of the ice show, gives an excellent performance as "Gertie" in the production number, "L-Apache". Excellently costumed for this act are the 10 men and 10 women in the lines. A lone street lamp and rubbish can form the only setting for this effective number.

"Rhapsody in Blue," with Carolyn Johnson and Bob Schwalbach as soloists, and set to Gershwin's music, was a number which offered much classic beauty in both skating and appearance. Other production numbers offered in the second portion of the revue are Holiday Greetings, in which several skaters are featured for the various holidays, and South American Style, a blacklight number, with Bob Schwalbach, talented skater, as soloist.

Pat Buzzell skates in "Enchantment" and Mary Goodreau in "Our Sweetheart" for two very fine solo numbers. Comedy numbers in the second portion include Bill and Jim Cretens' farcical presentation of "Two Mexicans in Love," and Mule Train, a number in which John Nyström and Cleve Moore Sr., as the "horse" draw a cutter about the ice, while Helen Gunkel gets a ride. There is some good comedy in this number, and undoubtedly, when the shows opens again tonight at 8:15, more will be made of the comedy opportunities in the number.

An added feature of the ice revue is the exhibition of speed skating by Peter Dube, 71-year-old Escanaba skater.

Larry Girard emcees the production, which will be shown tonight and tomorrow, beginning at 8:15 p. m., and Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:15 p. m. Governor G. Mennen Williams will see the ice revue Sunday afternoon, if weather permits.

Tonight candidates for the Queen of the North contest will have their skating tests shortly before intermission. Saturday night, the Queen of the North will make an appearance at the show, shortly after coronation ceremonies in Bonifas auditorium.

Two Youths Held For Not Paying For Car Gasoline

GLADSTONE—Two 16-year-old Newberry boys have been released to the custody of their parents to await disposition of their case in probate court at Luce county after being apprehended by state police of the Gladstone post for not paying for a quantity of automobile gasoline.

Police said the youths drove away from the Robert Hall gasoline filling station at Pine Ridge after getting gasoline and while the attendant was in the store. Police said they asked him to get some oil and while he was in the store, they drove away.

Hall called state police and the arrest was made yesterday afternoon shortly after the report was received. The car was owned by the father of one of the boys, who had permission to drive to Sault Ste. Marie but delayed his return.

Thomas Jefferson recorded planting spinach in his garden in 1811.

To Rent or Sell Use the Classified Ads

Allen A. Wells, Ralph Resident, Is Found Dead

Allen Ashford Wells, prominently known resident of Dickinson county, took his life by hanging yesterday afternoon at his home in Ralph. He had been ill for the past four months.

After an investigation, Coroner Frank Tondin of Iron Mountain announced no inquest would be held.

Mr. Wells, who was a station operator for the E. & L. S. Railway, had served as supervisor of West Branch township for over 30 years. He was born April 19, 1883, in Peterborough, Canada. He was a member of the Episcopal church.

Surviving are his wife, Ella, three sons, Charles of Flint, Harry of Ralph, and Hubert, a student at Michigan College of Mining and Technology at Houghton; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Kell of Kingsford, Mrs. Ted (Amy) Williams, of Spalding and Mrs. Evelyn Fezzette, Powers; and one brother, Harry, of Spalding.

Funeral services tentatively have been set for Sunday afternoon at 3:30, EST, at the Anderson funeral home chapel in Escanaba with Rev. William Robertson of Iron Mountain officiating, and burial will be in Gardens of Rest cemetery. Friends of the family may call at the funeral home beginning Saturday afternoon.

Atomic Secrets Given Russia By Ex-Nazi Refugee

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Britain's atomic research station. Humphreys said that Fuchs began giving the Russians information about atomic research shortly after he was recruited by the government for work on the bomb in 1942. The prosecutor said that Fuchs joined the Communist party in 1932, a year before he fled from Hitler to England.

When Germany invaded France in 1940 Fuchs was interned here by British authorities.

Assigned To U. S. A.
In 1943 Fuchs went to America with a British atomic team. FBI officials said that he had access to practically every important secret pertaining to the atomic bomb.

Humphreys said Fuchs told police the 100 pounds he accepted was a "symbolic payment" which he conceded definitely associated him with an effort to pass on information to Russia.

Fuchs said, according to the prosecutor, that he was able to conduct himself in this manner by deliberately splitting his mind into two compartments. One compartment controlled his normal relations with his British colleagues, many of whom regarded him as a pleasant fellow and a loyal friend.

The other compartment was devoted to his undercover activities for Russia.

Fuchs reportedly called his state of mind a situation of "schizophrenia" (split personality).

Portions of the statement were not read in open court. Omitted was the beginning, which described Fuchs' early life in Germany.

Humphreys said that this portion of the statement left no doubt that Fuchs was thoroughly and irrevocably convinced of the correctness of Marxian communism and that it had a world mission.

The statement was five or six typewritten sheets in length. One long portion which was not read presumably referred to the nature of the information he had communicated to the Russians.

Marquette Escaper Listed Among 10 Top Bad Men By FBI

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Henry Harland Shelton, 40, a fugitive from Marquette State Prison, was listed by the FBI Tuesday as among the ten most dangerous criminals now at large.

Shelton escaped from the prison last Sept. 5. He had been sentenced in 1933 to a life term as one of the four thugs who killed the cashier of the Kaleva, Mich., State Bank and escaped with \$3,000.

Shelton and another trusty, Sam Lieb, walked away from the prison farm. They were next heard of Sept. 20, when they kidnapped an Amasa (Mich.) man at the point of a knife and forced him to drive them to Monticello, Ind.

In October, Shelton was identified from FBI pictures as the robber who held up a Paducah, Ky., liquor store and escaped with \$1,100.

General Douglas MacArthur has received more than 400,000 letters from Japanese during the occupation.

Confetti DANCE
at the
Blue Moon Hall
Even Junction
Sat. Nite, Feb. 11
Music by
Nordic Serenaders

Four Hurt In Two-Car Crash

Accident Occurs At Top Of Soo Hill

Four persons were injured, none seriously, in an accident involving two automobiles shortly after noon today at the top of Soo Hill on county road C-17.

Most seriously injured of the four was Omer Yelton of 1306 North 23rd street, Escanaba, who was reported to have sustained a fractured collar bone, possible fracture of the left arm, and shock.

The names of the three other persons were not immediately available at the hospital early this afternoon.

Details of the accident were lacking as state police and sheriff's officers investigated to determine the cause of the crash that wrecked two cars.

The injured were brought to the hospital in the Wells township school bus driven by Louis Viau of Escanaba Rt. 1.

Others injured in the accident were: Mose Derouin, 75, Bark River Rt. 2, lacerations of the face; his wife, Anna, 65, possible rib fractures on the left side; and Judith, their granddaughter, who is 17.

Briefly Told
Larceny From Car—A cowhide traveling bag and an automatic toaster was stolen from an automobile owned by Fred Messner, of Iron Mountain, Wednesday night. The bag later was found abandoned in the alley back of the VFW club.

Escapes From Jail—Clifford Commanda, an Indian, escaped from the Mackinaw County Jail at St. Ignace last evening at eight o'clock. Two hours later a Ford 1941 model coupe, license SF 2107, was reported stolen at St. Ignace.

Train Strikes Car; Five Escape Death

EDMORE, Mich. — (AP)—Five members of a Blanchard farm family escaped death Monday night although their auto was carried 450 feet along the track after being struck by a freight train.

Most seriously injured was Lyle Washington, 28, and his wife, Verna, 25. Their three children, Linda, 5, Sandra, 4, and Larry, 2 were less seriously hurt.

The accident occurred at a Chesapeake & Ohio crossing on the edge of Edmore.

AUTO FERRY CRIPPLED
LANSING—(AP)—The railroad car ferry Chief Wawatam doubled up as an auto ferry today when the state-chartered Sainte Marie broke down. The Sainte Marie, crippled by a broken shaft in an air pump, was expected back in service by 1 p. m.

MARKETS CLOSE MONDAY
NEW YORK—(AP)—Financial and commodity exchanges throughout the United States will be closed Monday, Feb. 13, in observance of Lincoln's birthday. The Department of Agriculture will issue the various livestock reports as usual.

GAVILAN FAVORED
NEW YORK—(AP)—Kid Gavilan of Havana is a 5 to 13 favorite over Billy Graham of New York in tonight's 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden with the winner in line for a shot at welterweight champion Ray Robinson.

BACKWARD RIVER
The fabulous horse with its head where its tail ought to be has a counterpart in a short river in the state of Maine, which has a delta at its head instead of at its mouth.

DANCE SAT. NIGHT
Triangle Tavern
Ford River—M35
Music by
Frank Strophich
His Accordion and Orchestra
No minors admitted
No admission charge

CORRECTION
Wells Cash Store, Wells, Mich. should have been included as a dealer in the

ATWOOD COFFEE
advertisement published on Thursday, Feb. 29th.

DANCE SATURDAY
WELCOME HOTEL
Music by
George Brodd's Orch.
No Minors
No admission charge

ROCKET THEATRE
ROCK, MICH.
Friday thru Sunday evenings, 7 and 9:15

DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM
"Girl From Jones Beach"
Virginia Mayo — Ronald Reagan
PLUS
"House Across the Street"
Janis Paige — Wayne Morris

Tuesday thru Thursday, Evenings, 7 and 9
Humphrey Bogart — Ingrid Bergman
"In Casablanca"

Police Answer Call For Help; Find Calm Boy With Dog

GLADSTONE—Add this incident to the trials and tribulations of those staunch guardians of life and property—the Michigan state police.

Police of the Gladstone post Wednesday night received a series of calls from persons reporting that someone evidently was in trouble out on the ice and "You'd better do something about it quick."

Well, they did!

Equipped with ropes and poles, they went in the direction of the voice yelling out on the ice—the voice that led to all the calls.

Across the ice toward Squaw point they went and when they arrived at the other side, they saw a boy yelling his lungs out for his hound dog. The dog was in the woods and refused to come out on the ice but the boy was trying to get him to come home with him.

So the police returned to the post, and the boy went home. Both were sadder and wiser.

Job Relief Stalled In West Germany By Political Scraps

BONN, Germany—(AP)—Political bickering stalled the West German government plan today to spend 3,400,000 marks (\$850,000,000) to provide jobs for 1,000,000 unemployed.

Leftist Socialists won Parliamentary adoption of their previous resolution calling on Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's government to do a program to deal with the 1,900,000 jobless in West Germany, whose estimated population is 95,000,000.

Adenauer submitted his plan to Parliament yesterday. He sought to have it approved before the Socialist demand was voted on to keep the Socialists from sharing in the credit for the program.

A number of government supporters, however, left the Parliamentary chamber during the 10 hours of debate that followed. Socialists who outlast the government forces then secured a favorable vote on their original motion, instead of on Adenauer's plan.

The government now must re-submit its program or offer another.

Firemen Called To Director's Home

Escanaba firemen were called to the residence of Safety Director Jack Koernke, 223 North 19th street, Thursday afternoon when an automatic oven timer failed to work properly and burned a roast that was cooking in the oven.

Mrs. Koernke returned home to find smoke rolling from the oven. Damage was confined to the roast.

Hospital
Mrs. Emmett Meehan, 413 South 7th street, submitted to surgery yesterday at St. Mary's hospital in Green Bay. Her condition is satisfactory.

Mrs. Joseph Gregorie, 612 South 19th street, submitted to an emergency appendicitis operation last night at St. Francis hospital.

Middle Income Housing Setup Strikes Snag

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The \$2,000,000,000 heart of President Truman's middle-income housing program appeared today to be in serious trouble in the senate banking committee.

That is the part of the program which calls for government-backed loans of that amount to housing cooperatives made up of families whose income ranges generally from \$2,400 to \$4,700 a year.

The banking committee voted 7 to 6 late yesterday to shelve the whole bill for two weeks pending a study as to what its impact would be on the national economy. The action was taken after several members said they feel the program might be inflationary.

The group asked the Federal Reserve board to express its views on the matter at a public hearing next Thursday.

Measure Inflationary
The trouble the cooperative housing section faces was illustrated by another vote in the committee on a motion by Senator Bricker (R-Ohio). He moved that the administration's cooperative housing program be stricken from the bill.

The vote in the 13-man committee had reached 6 to 6, it was learned, when Bricker withdrew the motion and agreed to go along on postponing action until Feb. 23.

The measure would authorize the FHA to insure an additional \$1,250,000,000 worth of home loans. The president would have discretion to authorize another \$1,500,000,000 of insurance.

Marriner S. Eccles, one member of the Federal Reserve Board, already has told congress several times that in his opinion the FHA program is inflationary. There has been no board opinion as a whole on how the cooperative housing program might affect the economy.

MEWCOMBE SIGNS
BROOKLYN—(AP)—Big Don Mewcombe, Brooklyn's star rookie pitcher, signed his 1950 contract yesterday for a reported \$13,000.

Bright sunlight damages the fur of live mink.

President Bears Down Again On GOP Lawmakers

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman apparently intends to bear down this election year on the Republicans' lawmaking record—not what they say.

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday he thinks the Republicans' record speaks better for itself than any platform they can write.

Strangely enough, there were Republicans who agreed with him. A reporter told Mr. Truman a statement of principles issued by the Republicans this week had picked "Liberty vs. Socialism" as the chief issue for their campaign to gain control of congress in the November voting.

Which was the president for? The newsmen asked.

Mr. Truman said he had read the GOP platform but didn't understand it, adding that it's the Republicans' record that will tell the story to the voters in this year's congressional elections.

In his 1948 campaign for the presidency, Mr. Truman made a great point of what he called the bad record of the Republican dominated 80th congress.

Mr. Truman's 1950 statement, that it is the record which counts, found agreement among some Republicans, particularly those dissatisfied with their party's statement.

Senator Ives (R-N. Y.), who voted against the declaration, told a reporter that he, too, believes the Republicans must stand on what they do in congress and not on any promises they make in a statement of principles.

"However, I don't agree with the president if he is belittling the danger to the country of the administration's present drift toward Socialism," Ives said.

TONIGHT
That Popular Man Is Here Again!
GUY FISK
& his piano accordion
COLONIAL HOTEL

Out for the Evening?
Stop at the
SWALLOW INN
Rapid River
DANCE-SATURDAY NIGHT
Music by
CHET MARRIER and his Band
Beer — Wine — Liquor

Congratulations—
To the Twelfth Annual Ice Revue from:
"THE DELLS"
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Presents Saturday Nite
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EXTRA: SUNDAY NITE ONLY
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